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VOL. XI.

HOLLAND, MICHIGAN, MARCH 28, 1902.

NO. 11

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Letting of Painting Job.

Bids will be received up to Saturday, 12 o'clock noon, April 5, 1902, for painting the New Holland parsonage. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Address

C. J. SMITH,

N. w. Holland, Mich.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democratic Ward, District and City caucuses will be held at Lyceum opera house in the city of Holland, on Tuesday evening, April 1, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various city, district and ward offices and for the transaction of such other business as may be lawfully presented.

By order of the Democratic City Committee.

HENRY BRUSS, Chairman.
M. G. MANTING, Secretary
Holland, Mich., March 21, 1902.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Mrs. Jacob Kraal of Crisp committed suicide Monday morning while temporarily insane. She jumped into a well on the farm of Mr. A. Roo, half a mile from her residence. Mrs. Kraal has for several years been afflicted with periods of mental depression. It is thought the recent illness of her daughter Grace, who was employed by a family in Holland, was the cause of it. Mrs. Kraal disappeared last Monday morning at about five o'clock while her husband was busy to work in the barn. Her two daughters who were at home, were not aware of her absence until Mr. Kraal returned from the barn. A search was instituted immediately and she was found at eight o'clock in the well on the Roo farm by K. Weener and his brother Manus. Mrs. Kraal was about 52 years of age and is survived by a husband and nine children. Her children are: Tom Kraal, Mrs. M. Weener, Mrs. Sam Meeuwse, Misses Bessie, Francis and Mary, who live at Crisp, and Grace, Albert and Henry of Holland. Her brothers are Henry and Peter Siersema and her sisters Mrs. De Vries and Mrs. Van Vulpen. The funeral was held Wednesday at 1 o'clock from the residence, Rev. Van Tielen of Crisp officiating.

THE DISTRICT ORATORICAL CONTEST.

Tickets for the district High school oratorical contest to be held at Allegan on April 4, will be sold at the stores of Wm. Brusse & Co., G. H. Huizinga, Wilmot Bros., Con De Pree and Sluyter & Co., and by the High school pupils, at 70 cents each. These tickets provide for a round trip to Allegan in the special decorated car, under the auspices of the Century Forum, and for a reserved seat at the contest. The train will leave Holland at 5:40 p. m., and return the same evening. Holland, Allegan, Grand Haven and other cities will participate in the contest, which is expected to be of great interest. As only two hundred seats will be reserved, persons desiring to attend will do well to purchase their tickets early.

Persons desiring to visit in Allegan can go on the 8:10 train, Friday morning, returning on the special train at night, thus getting the reduced rate of fare.

MEMORIAL HALL CONTRACT LET.

Monday the contract for building the Van Raalte memorial hall on the Hope College campus was let to Messrs. Clark & Blakeslee of Grand Haven. There were seven bids ranging from \$26,962 to \$31,995. These figures do not include heating and plumbing. The structure will be three stories and basement, 130 feet long and 72 feet wide, of Cloverdale brick, trimmed with Waverly stone. It will be a magnificent structure and will be finished by the middle of September. It will be located opposite Semelink hall. Ground will be broken Saturday morning at 7 o'clock with appropriate ceremonies.

FORMER RESIDENT KILLED BY TRAIN.

Mrs. Charlotte Post, wife of Charles F. Post, formerly of this township, was killed by a train at South Bend, Ind., on Tuesday. The remains were brought here yesterday and the funeral services took place from Hope church, of which she was a quarter member. The services were conducted by Rev. J. T. Bergen and were largely attended. The pallbearers were John Kramer, G. Van Schelven, John Van Anrooy, P. H. Wilms, D. H. Clark and R. Oostema. The family formerly resided north of this city and moved to South Bend some two years ago. They have many friends here who were greatly shocked by the sad news.

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Poultry For Sale.

Entire stock to be sold at lowest prices. Bradshaw Poultry plant, on Park road.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. W. C. Walsh, 73 East Tenth street. 11-1f

A SAD ACCIDENT.

Perry Dies From a Gunshot Wound Received While Hunting.

Wednesday forenoon Perry, the 17 year old son of C. D. Wise, yardmaster at Waverly, met with a fatal accident while hunting on the island. He had been hunting in the marsh and was about to place the gun in his boat when it was accidentally discharged, the charge of shot entering the right lung. The wounded boy started to walk from the north side of the island towards the wagon bridge which crosses the river north of the water works, but weakness overcame him soon and he sank to the ground. He fired a revolver to attract attention and about two hours later two hunters found him. [While one remained with him the other hastened to the water works and telephoned to Mr. Wise at Waverly and to Dr. J. A. Mabbs. Mr. Wise was soon on the ground and the boy was taken home. Drs. Mabbs, Cook and Mersen were there and an examination showed that three ribs had been fractured and the shot had gone through the lung and lodged near the back. He was conscious and told how the accident had happened. While the doctors were dressing the wound he died. The funeral will take place to-morrow from the home on East Ninth street, at 2 o'clock. It is a severe blow to the bereaved family and they have the sympathy of their many friends.

SUGAR COMPANY DIRECTORS.

The stockholders of the Holland Sugar Co. held their annual meeting at the opera house on Tuesday. After the report of the Secretary which was read and approved the following directors were elected: G. J. Diekema, 23,475; A. Labuis, 22,790; A. Visscher, 22,413; G. W. Browning, 22,557; D. Yntema, 22,455; C. J. De Roo, 22,205; J. Vene-klaasen, 21,765; J. J. Cappon, 21,670; J. C. Post, 21,000; Geo. P. Hummer, 21,000; Osterly, 21,000; P. H. M. Bride, 21,030; H. Kremers, 20,955; F. C. Hall, 20,775; H. Pelgrim, 17,505. Officers will be elected by the directors on the second Monday in April.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

A. Postma is building a house on West Seventeenth street.

The base ball season will probably open here about April 15.

The missionary society of the M. E. church will hold their annual sugar festival Saturday evening, April 5, in the basement of the church. Good program. Warm sugar served for 10 cents beginning at 5:30. All invited.

Mrs. George Williams celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of her birth Tuesday.

Capt. P. Jensen gave an interesting talk last Sunday before the newsboy's association at Grand Rapids on the subject of life savers.

The Zealand Canning Co., has filed articles of association in the sum of \$20,000.

The steamer Frank Woods is being fitted out under the direction of Capt. C. Coates of Saugatuck.

Reports in Grand Rapids say that the Pere Marquette will put on eight new trains this summer between Grand Rapids, Holland and Ottawa Beach.

W. G. Barnaby has moved into his new house on College avenue.

Rev. H. Frieling of Grand Rapids, well known here, has received a call to the Third Reformed church at Pella, Iowa.

Sheriff Bensley of Allegan came here Tuesday and with the aid of Marshal Kamferbeek located James Kergan, a tramp, wanted at Allegan for larceny.

A merry war is on between Grand Haven and Spring Lake and the latter town is striving to forge ahead.

Local agent Fred Zalsman received word Tuesday that the steamer C. W. Moore will inaugurate tri-weekly service between Holland and Chicago, commencing Monday. The boat will leave here every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening for a short time.

Major Scranton Circle, No. 18, Ladies of the G. A. R., will meet Friday, April 4, in K. of P. rooms at 2:30 sharp. All members are requested to be present, especially the officers, as there will be initiation services and applications for membership to be considered.

Easter services will be held in Grace Episcopal church. Early communion at 8 a. m. Morning prayer, sermon and holy communion at 10:30 a. m. Evening song and sermon at 7:30 p. m. Special Easter music by the new vested choir.

Lyman Bergen, youngest brother of Rev. J. T. Bergen, died in Brooklyn this forenoon. Mr. Bergen will leave for that place this afternoon. On Sunday morning Rev. E. Winter will preach at Hope church and in the evening G. De Koster, in absence of Rev. Bergen.

Dr. T. A. Boot and family of Grand Rapids, visited relatives here Tuesday. Yesterday they left for Corning, California, where they will reside. The doctor has bought ground there for raising olives. The many friends of the family will wish them good luck in their new home. Miss Maggie Kramer, the youngest daughter of Mr. John Kramer, accompanied them.

PERSONAL.

Miss Anna Opholt of Grand Rapids, spent last Sunday with her cousin, Miss Gerlie Opholt, at Drenthe.

James Kolo was in Lansing Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holmes of Olive Center, were in town on business yesterday.

Jacob Van Houte of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Alderman and Mrs. H. Geerlings, West Fourteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Baumgartel of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. De Merell and Master Johnson have returned from their winter sojourn in Florida.

E. C. Davidson of St. Joseph, visited his parents here Sunday.

J. G. Kamp spent Sunday at Char-lotte.

Mrs. P. E. Garvelink has returned from an extended visit in Allegan.

Mrs. Andrew Steketee and Mrs. Benj. Van Anrooy of Holland arrived here last evening for a visit at the home of Mrs. C. Steketee, 141 Peck street—Muskegon Chronicle.

O. A. Byrns left Monday for Independence, Iowa, to superintend the construction of a large paper mill.

Dr. L. A. M. Riemens returned Monday from a business trip to Missouri.

Peter Van Raalte of Grand Rapids, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turling the past week.

C. Braam, Sr., visited friends in Grand Haven Monday.

Miss Gertrude Opholt of Drenthe and Reka De Weerd of Jamestown were the guests of Miss Grace Lubbers, 254 River street, Wednesday.

Supervisor H. Van Noord of Jamestown was here on business Monday.

Rev. H. M. Bruins and wife of Perkins, Ill., returned home Tuesday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hutzling, West Twelfth street. On Sunday he preached in the First Reformed church at Grand Rapids.

Otto Schaap of Herreid, South Dakota, returned home Tuesday having sold a carload of horses here. He expects to bring another carload some time this spring.

G. Kruitthof and daughter Lena of Drenthe were here on business Saturday.

John Winter of Vriesland was in town Tuesday attending the meeting of the stockholders of the sugar company.

Chas. Bassett of Fenaville was here Monday evening attending a session and banquet of the Royal Arch Masons.

Osteopathy.

Dr. E. C. Cookson, graduate of American School of Osteopathy, has located in this city permanently for the practice of his profession. Those desiring Osteopathic treatment please call and investigate its merits. Office open Saturday, March 29, at 21 West Eighth street. Terms reasonable. Lady in attendance. Examination and consultation free.

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Tailor-Made Suit SALE!

Next week Thursday, Friday and Saturday,

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we shall have at our store a line of Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits. As we are put to no expense in selling these Suits, you can readily see that we can save you money on a Suit. Come in and see the assortment, even if you don't buy. A better line than you will see again this season. Pick out a Suit, make a small payment down, and we will hold it for you.

Flower Seed Sale!

1^c a package.

Next Monday we place on sale 5000 packages of Flower Seeds and Vegetable Seeds at 1c per package. Possibly you may think when you read the price that these seeds are no good. All we have to say is, we guarantee every package as good as you can buy at a higher price. We sold these seeds last year; ask your neighbors what kind of seeds they are. Hundreds of people are waiting for these seeds. Scores of different varieties to select from. Come next Monday and lay in a supply.

John Vandersluis

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Annual Settlement.

Report of the Committee.

To the Honorable the Mayor and the Common Council of the City of Holland.

Gentlemen:—Your committee on settlement, directed to make the annual settlement with the city treasurer, respectfully submit that they have examined the annual report of the city treasurer, herewith presented, as the basis of said settlement, and that they have examined the books and vouchers of the city treasurer and have compared them with the receipts and accounts as kept by the city clerk and have found the same correct, leaving a balance of three thousand and two hundred eighty-three dollars and seven cents (\$3,283.07), for which said amount the city treasurer has submitted a certificate of the First State Bank, as herewith presented.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated, Holland, Mich., March 17, A. D. 1902.

HENRY GEERLINGS,
R. H. HABERMANN,
J. G. VAN PUTTEN.

City Treasurer's Report.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with the provisions of Section II, Title V of the City Charter, I have the honor to present the following account of the receipts and disbursements of the treasury since the date of the last annual report, classifying them by the funds to which such receipts are credited and out of which such disbursements are made, and the balance remaining in each fund at the close of the fiscal year ending March 17th, 1902.

Respectfully submitted,

GERRITT WILTERDINK,

City Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$16,551.31
Personal taxes of 1900 uncollected.....	125.23
City librarian fines, catalogues, etc.....	46.78
County treasurer, liquor tax.....	2,508.14
County treasurer, delinquent tax.....	1,041.90
County treasurer, library money.....	126.71
Electric light, rentals.....	13,637.33
Electric light, charging batteries.....	11.19
Electric light, fines.....	3.12
Electric light, sale of material.....	56.96
Electric light, forfeiture.....	100.00
Westinghouse Co.....	4,639.32
Water, rentals.....	292.50
Water, tapping mains.....	16.00
Water, fines.....	44.00
Water, plumbers' licenses.....	1,553.18
Water, sale of material.....	10.00
Water, repairs.....	3,324.24
City licenses.....	68.00
Dog licenses.....	19.71
Sidewalk repairs.....	98.00
Fines for violation of ordinances and pen. laws.....	5.75
Miscellaneous.....	50,466.67
Park bonds and premium.....	4,166.00
Eighth street sewer bonds.....	2,750.00
Ninth and River streets sewer bonds.....	570.00
West Twelfth street bonds.....	500.00
East Fourth street bonds.....	2,200.00
South Central avenue bonds.....	9,500.00
Loans.....	2,257.75
First district state tax.....	1,156.92
County tax.....	1.03
Rejected tax.....	774.92
Collection fees.....	8.82
Excess of roll.....	1,390.95
General fund.....	631.85
Poor fund.....	737.15
Fire department fund.....	

ANNUAL TAX ROLL.

Park fund.....	210.61
Library fund.....	168.49
Water fund.....	1,053.07
Light fund.....	526.54
Fire alarm fund.....	128.37
Main sewer fund.....	421.23
Interest and sinking fund.....	1,205.77
East Eleventh street fund.....	310.11
Sixteenth street No. 1 fund.....	102.73
Sixteenth street No. 2 fund.....	345.76
Central avenue sewer fund.....	148.62
Reassessed Central avenue sewer fund.....	27.59
Reassessed special tax of 1897.....	2.84
Reassessed general tax of 1899.....	6.47
Sidewalk assessment.....	24.88
Second district state tax.....	8,462.07
County tax.....	4,336.13
Rejected tax.....	3.88
Collection fees.....	2,795.96
Excess of roll.....	31.63
General fund.....	5,209.94
Poor fund.....	2,368.15
Fire department fund.....	2,762.85
Park fund.....	789.39
Library fund.....	631.51
Water fund.....	3,946.93
Light fund.....	1,973.46
Fire alarm fund.....	473.63
Main sewer fund.....	1,578.77
Interest and sinking fund.....	4,519.23
Sixteenth street No. 1 fund.....	63.15
Sixteenth street No. 2 fund.....	212.39
West Seventh street fund.....	30.71
West Fourteenth street fund.....	60.17
West Twelfth street fund.....	114.38
Central avenue sewer fund.....	635.14
Harrison avenue sewer fund.....	283.25
Delinquent light assessment.....	7.23
Sidewalk assessment.....	5.33
Special Assessment Rolls.	
West Third street special assessment roll.....	46.66
East Fourth street special assessment roll.....	100.11
South Central avenue special assessment roll.....	550.48
Eight street sewer First District special assessment roll.....	515.40
Eight street sewer Second District special assessment roll.....	320.31
Ninth and River streets sewer First District special assessment roll.....	177.45
Ninth and River streets sewer Second District special assessment roll.....	377.00
Total.....	\$169,794.71
DISBURSEMENTS.	
General fund orders, exhibit A.....	14,380.39
Water fund orders, exhibit B.....	17,314.53
Light fund orders, exhibit C.....	14,664.69

Fire alarm fund orders, exhibit D.....	408.83
Main sewer fund orders, exhibit E.....	2,947.50
Fire department fund orders, exhibit F.....	3,742.75
Poor fund orders, exhibit G.....	3,208.77
Library fund orders, exhibit H.....	785.07
Park fund orders, exhibit I.....	52,767.84
Dog fund orders, exhibit J.....	36.50
10 coupons series A. water fund bonds.....	485.00
12 coupons series B. water fund bonds.....	630.00
36 coupons series F. water fund bonds.....	897.50
7 coupons series G. water fund bonds.....	350.00
18 coupons series H. water fund bonds.....	900.00
12 coupons series A. electric light fund bonds.....	600.00
12 coupons series B. electric light fund bonds.....	600.00
1 coupon series A. fire department fund bonds.....	125.00
10 coupons series A. sewer fund bonds.....	400.00
50 coupons series A. park fund bonds.....	2,000.00
Water fund bond No. 7, series A.....	1,000.00
East Eleventh street bond No. 3.....	272.38
2 coupons East Eleventh street bonds.....	27.24
East Eleventh street fund orders.....	4.50
Sixteenth street No. 1 fund bond No. 3.....	194.71
2 coupons Sixteenth street No. 1 fund.....	19.48
Sixteenth street No. 1 fund orders.....	15.00
Sixteenth street No. 2 fund bond No. 3.....	555.14
3 coupons Sixteenth street No. 2 fund bonds.....	74.94
Sixteenth street No. 2 fund orders.....	15.00
West Seventh street fund bond No. 3.....	68.86
2 coupons West Seventh street fund bonds.....	6.88
West Fourteenth street fund bond No. 2.....	60.00
3 coupons West Fourteenth street fund bonds.....	9.00
West Twelfth street fund bond No. 1.....	114.00
5 coupons West Twelfth street fund bonds.....	7.60
West Twelfth street fund orders.....	550.05
West Third street fund bond No. 1.....	46.00
5 coupons West Third street fund bonds.....	3.05
West Third street fund orders.....	164.00
East Fourth street fund bond No. 1.....	100.00
5 coupons East Fourth street fund bonds.....	6.65
East Fourth street fund orders.....	414.00
4 coupons South Central avenue fund bonds.....	14.68
South Central avenue fund orders.....	461.38
Central avenue sewer fund bond No. 1.....	640.00
4 coupons Central avenue sewer fund bonds.....	102.40
Central avenue sewer fund orders.....	4,118.95
Harrison avenue sewer fund bond No. 1.....	220.00
4 coupons Harrison avenue sewer fund bonds.....	35.20
Harrison avenue sewer fund orders.....	644.37
Eight street sewer fund bond No. 1.....	833.20
5 coupons Eighth street fund bonds.....	55.55
Eight street sewer fund orders.....	4,075.54
Ninth and River streets sewer fund bond No. 1.....	550.00
5 coupons Ninth and River streets sewer fund bonds.....	36.65
Ninth and River streets sewer fund orders.....	3,023.97
Returned loans.....	9,500.00
Interest on loans.....	93.27
County treasurer cash.....	16,128.37
State tax returned.....	58.75
County tax returned.....	30.66
City tax returned.....	169.46
School tax returned.....	121.93
Special tax returned.....	108.85
Rejected tax.....	4.38
Personal tax returned.....	202.85
Personal tax 1900 uncollected.....	117.81
West Third street special tax returned.....	1.58
South Central avenue special tax returned.....	39.83
Eight street special sewer tax returned.....	17.50
Ninth and River streets special sewer tax returned.....	8.34
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. bef. Jan. 1 (\$69,510.87).....	3,475.54
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on state tax returned.....	2.94
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on county tax returned.....	1.53
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on city tax returned.....	8.47
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on school tax returned.....	6.10
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on special tax returned.....	5.44
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on rejected tax returned.....	22
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on personal tax returned.....	10.14
Balance on hand.....	3,283.07
Total.....	\$169,794.71
GENERAL FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$2,043.43
Personal tax uncollected 1900.....	125.23
Transferred from Fifteenth street fund.....	2.45
Transferred from state and county fund.....	56.12
Delinquent taxes county treasurer.....	1,041.90
Liquor taxes county treasurer.....	2,508.14
City license.....	3,324.34
Sidewalk repairs.....	19.71
Miscellaneous.....	5.25
Loans.....	9,500.00
ASSESSMENT ROLL FIRST DISTRICT.	
General taxes.....	1,390.06
Collection fees.....	774.92
Excess of roll.....	8.82
Sidewalk tax.....	24.88
Reassessed for 1897 and 1899.....	9.31
ASSESSMENT ROLL SECOND DISTRICT.	
DR.	
General taxes.....	5,209.94
Collection fees.....	2,795.96
Excess of roll.....	31.63

Sidewalk tax.....	5.33
Amount overdrawn.....	229.34
Total.....	\$23,106.76
CR.	
Orders paid exhibit A.....	\$14,380.39
Interest on water fund bonds series F.....	897.50
Loans returned.....	9,500.00
Interest on loans.....	93.27
Returned city tax.....	169.40
Returned school tax.....	121.93
Returned special tax.....	108.85
Returned rejected tax.....	4.38
Returned personal tax.....	202.85
Uncollected personal of 1900.....	117.81
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. bef. Jan. 1.....	3,475.54
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on state tax returned.....	2.94
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on county tax returned.....	1.53
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on city tax returned.....	8.47
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on school tax returned.....	6.10
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on rejected tax returned.....	22
5 per cent. coll. fees rem. on personal tax returned.....	10.14
Total.....	\$23,106.76
WATER FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on last annual settlement.....	\$1,076.29
Water rentals.....	4,639.32
Tapping mains.....	292.50
Fines.....	16.00
Plumbers' licenses.....	44.00
Sale of material.....	1,553.18
Repairs.....	10.00
Transferred from light fund.....	4,210.00
Assessment roll first district.....	1,053.07
Assessment roll second district.....	3,946.93
Amount overdrawn.....	1,413.24
Total.....	\$18,314.53
CR.	
Orders paid exhibit B.....	\$17,314.53
Water fund bond No. 7 series A.....	1,000.00
Total.....	\$18,314.53
LIGHT FUND.	
DR.	
Light rentals.....	\$13,637.33
Charging batteries.....	11.19
Fines.....	3.12
Sale of material.....	56.96
Forfeiture Westinghouse Co.....	100.00
Assessment roll first district.....	526.54
Assessment roll second district.....	1,973.46
Special assessment Del. light rentals.....	7.23
Amount overdrawn.....	3,597.53
Total.....	\$19,913.36
CR.	
Overdrawn last annual settlement.....	1,038.67
Orders paid, exhibit C.....	14,664.69
Transferred to water fund.....	4,210.00
Total.....	\$19,913.36
FIRE ALARM FUND.	
DR.	
Assessment roll first district.....	126.37
Assessment roll second district.....	473.63
Total.....	\$600.00
CR.	
Overdrawn last annual settlement.....	1.96
Orders paid, exhibit D.....	438.83
Balance on hand.....	159.21
Total.....	\$600.00
MAIN SEWER FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	4,449.79
Transferred from Harrison avenue sewer fund.....	439.37
Assessment roll first district.....	421.23
Assessment roll second district.....	1,578.77
Total.....	\$6,889.16
CR.	
Orders paid, exhibit E.....	\$2,947.50
Transferred to Central avenue sewer fund.....	1,247.15
Transferred to Eight street sewer fund.....	626.75
Transferred to Ninth and River streets sewer fund.....	511.50
Balance on hand.....	1,556.26
Total.....	\$6,889.16
FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$593.32
Sale of material.....	50
Assessment roll first district.....	737.15
Assessment roll second district.....	2,762.85
Total.....	\$4,093.83
CR.	
Orders paid, exhibit F.....	\$3,742.75
Balance on hand.....	351.08
Total.....	\$4,093.83
POOR FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$1,676.70
Assessment roll first district.....	631.85
Assessment roll second district.....	2,368.15
Total.....	\$4,676.70
CR.	
Orders paid, exhibit G.....	\$3,308.77
Balance on hand.....	1,467.93
Total.....	\$4,676.70
LIBRARY FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$211.16
Library money, county treasurer.....	126.71
Sale of catalogues, fines, etc.....	46.78
Fines, violation of ordinances and pen. laws.....	98.00
Assessment roll first district.....	168.49
Assessment roll second district.....	631.51
Total.....	\$1,282.65
CR.	
Orders paid, exhibit H.....	\$795.07
Balance on hand.....	487.58
Total.....	\$1,282.65
PARK FUND.	
DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....	\$2,440.57
Sale of park bonds.....	50,466.67
Assessment roll first district.....	210.61
Assessment roll second district.....	789.39
Total.....	\$53,907.24
CR.	
Orders paid Exhibit I.....	\$52,767.84
Balance on hand.....	1,139.40
Total.....	\$53,907.24

	DOG FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		190
Dog licenses.....		68
Total.....	\$	258
	CR.	
Orders paid Exhibit J.....	\$	36
Balance on hand.....		222
Total.....	\$	258
	INTEREST AND SINKING FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		418
Assessment roll first district.....		1,205
Assessment roll second district.....		4,519
Total.....	\$	6,143
	CR.	
10 coupons series A. water fund bonds.....	\$	485
12 coupons series B. water fund bonds.....		630
7 coupons series G. water fund bonds.....		350
18 coupons series H. water fund bonds.....		900
12 coupons series A. light fund bonds.....		600
12 coupons series B. light fund bonds.....		600
1 coupon series A. fire department fund bonds.....		125
10 coupons series A. sewer fund bonds.....		400
50 coupons series A. park fund bonds.....		2,000
Balance on hand.....		53.5
Total.....	\$	6,143.5
	STATE AND COUNTY FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		56.12
First district state tax.....		2,257.75
First district county tax.....		1,156.92
First district rejected tax.....		1.03
Second district state tax.....		8,462.07
Second district county tax.....		4,336.13
Second district rejected tax.....		3.88
Total.....	\$	16,273.90
	CR.	
Transferred to general fund.....	\$	56.12
County treasurer cash.....		16,128.37
State tax returned.....		58.75
County tax returned.....		30.66
Total.....	\$	16,273.90
	EAST ELEVENTH STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		1.50
Tax roll first district.....		310.11
Total.....	\$	311.61
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 3.....	\$	272.38
Paid two coupons.....		27.24
Paid orders.....		4.50
Balance on hand.....		7.49
Total.....	\$	311.61
	SIXTEENTH STREET NO. 1 FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		79.83
Tax roll first district.....		102.73
Tax roll second district.....		63.15
Total.....	\$	245.71
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 3.....	\$	194.71
Paid two coupons.....		19.48
Paid orders.....		15.00
Balance on hand.....		16.52
Total.....	\$	245.71
	SIXTEENTH STREET NO. 2 FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		90.36
Tax roll first district.....		345.76
Tax roll second district.....		212.39
Total.....	\$	648.51
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 3.....	\$	555.14
Paid three coupons.....		74.94
Paid orders.....		15.00
Balance on hand.....		3.42
Total.....	\$	648.51
	WEST SEVENTH STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		6.92
Tax roll second district.....		80.71
Total.....	\$	87.63
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 3.....	\$	68.84
Paid two coupons.....		6.88
Balance on hand.....		11.89
Total.....	\$	87.63
	WEST FOURTEENTH STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual settlement.....		13.70
Tax roll second district.....		60.17
Total.....	\$	73.87
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 2.....	\$	60.00
Paid three coupons.....		9.00
Paid orders.....		3.00
Balance on hand.....		1.87
Total.....	\$	73.87
	WEST TWELFTH STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Balance on hand last annual Sale of bonds.....	\$	570.00
Tax roll second district.....		114.38
Total.....	\$	684.38
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 1.....	\$	114.00
Paid five coupons.....		7.60
Paid orders.....		550.05
Balance on hand.....		12.73
Total.....	\$	684.38
	WEST THIRD STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Sale of bonds.....	\$	230.00
Special tax roll second district.....		46.66
Total.....	\$	276.66
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 1.....	\$	46.00
Paid five coupons.....		3.05
Paid orders.....		164.00
Special tax uncollected.....		1.58
Balance on hand.....		62.03
Total.....	\$	276.66
	EAST FOURTH STREET FUND.	
	DR.	
Sale of bonds.....	\$	500.00
Special tax roll first district.....		100.11
Total.....	\$	600.11
	CR.	
Paid bond No. 1.....	\$	100.09
Paid five coupons.....		6.65
Paid orders.....		414.00
Balance on hand.....		79.46

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Wm. O. Van Eyck, city clerk.....	1,100 00
F. H. Kamferbeek, city marshal.....	550 00
G. Wiltedink, city treasurer.....	320 87
T. Nauta, street commissioner.....	416 60
J. C. Brown, night police.....	400 00
P. Boss, deputy marshal.....	333 30
J. F. Van Anrooy, deputy marshal.....	3 12
Geo. E. Kollen, city attorney.....	168 75
James Westveer, director of the poor.....	90 00
A. Knoohuizen, city physician.....	131 25
H. B. Godfrey, health officer.....	75 00
D. Hensen, assistant chief fire department.....	56 25
Jennie Kanters, city librarian.....	220 83
L. T. Kanters, chief fire department.....	112 50
Mm. Brusse, mayor.....	66 66
P. A. Kleis, alderman.....	33 33
P. Vander Tak, alderman.....	33 33
James Kole, alderman.....	33 33
Gerrit Van Zanten, alderman.....	33 33
H. J. Luidens, alderman.....	33 33
Henry Geerlings, alderman.....	33 33
R. H. Habermann, alderman.....	33 33
J. G. Van Putten, alderman.....	33 33
W. Westhoek, alderman.....	33 33
B. Riksen, alderman.....	33 33

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ottawa County Times.....	2 00
Board of public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
B. Steketee, supplies.....	1 50
J. A. Vanderveen, supplies.....	4 65
Austin Harrington, coal for jail.....	4 30
G. Schaftenaar, cleaning and repairing jail.....	10 50
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	4 00
P. Vandertak, registration services.....	3 00
P. A. Kleis, registration services.....	3 00
Jacob Fileman, registration services.....	3 00
James Kole, registration services.....	3 00
L. S. Spritsma, registration services.....	3 00
H. J. Luidens, registration services.....	3 00
Henry Bruss, registration services.....	3 00
R. H. Habermann, registration services.....	3 00
B. Riksen, registration services.....	3 00
Wm. Westhoek, registration services.....	3 00
P. A. Kleis, inspector of election.....	6 00
Arthur Van Duren, inspector of election.....	6 00
Johannes TeRoller, inspector of election.....	6 00
J. W. Fileman, inspector of election.....	6 00
James Kole, inspector of election.....	6 00
Peter Despelder, inspector of election.....	6 00
L. S. Spritsma, inspector of election.....	6 00
Henry J. Luidens, inspector of election.....	6 00
L. H. Fairbanks, inspector of election.....	6 00
Henry Van Ark, inspector of election.....	6 00
William J. Danson, inspector of election.....	6 00
R. H. Habermann, inspector of election.....	6 00
William Westhoek, inspector of election.....	6 00
J. A. Kooyers, inspector of election.....	6 00
Anthony Van Ry, inspector of election.....	6 00
Henry Vanderploeg, clerk of election.....	6 00
John P. Kleis, clerk of election.....	6 00
Albert Vander Berg, clerk of election.....	6 00
William Hayes, clerk of election.....	6 00
John B. Steketee, clerk of election.....	6 00
Johannes Dykema, clerk of election.....	6 00
A. A. Finch, clerk of election.....	6 00
John Pessink, clerk of election.....	6 00
J. W. Visscher, clerk of election.....	6 00
F. C. Johnson, clerk of election.....	6 00
Jacob Moes, gate keeper.....	2 00
D. Brandt, gate keeper.....	2 00
H. G. Vandenberg, gate keeper.....	2 00
A. VanderNagel, gate keeper.....	2 00
M. F. Jonkman, gate keeper.....	2 00
T. Essenbagers, gate keeper.....	2 00
T. Bontekoe, gate keeper.....	2 00
John F. Hofer, gate keeper.....	2 00
Albert VanderWal, gate keeper.....	2 00
R. Schregardus, gate keeper.....	2 00
K. Kanters estate, room rent.....	8 00
James Kole, room rent.....	8 00
Isaac Fairbanks, room rent.....	8 00
R. H. Habermann, room rent.....	8 00
J. A. Kooyers, room rent.....	8 00
P. Vandertak, putting up booths.....	1 00
J. W. Fileman, putting up booths.....	1 00
L. H. Fairbanks, putting up booths.....	1 00
R. H. Habermann, putting up booths.....	1 00
B. Riksen, putting up booths.....	1 00
G. Blom, drayage of booths.....	5 00
Geo. E. Kollen, services board of election commissioners.....	3 00
I. Goldman, services board of election commissioners.....	3 00
H. J. Luidens, services board of election commissioners.....	3 00
John Van Lanegend, chimney top city hall.....	10 18
Filmore Bird, special police service.....	1 50
Michigan Telephone Co., messages.....	60
B. S. E. Takken, repairs.....	55
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	8 75
R. Riksen, team work.....	3 00
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	2 25
J. Vander Ploeg, street labor.....	14 50
S. Adama, street labor.....	6 50
J. Oosting, fireman street work.....	2 00
P. Oosting, use of boiler street work.....	2 00
P. A. Kleis, expenses to Grand Haven after ballots.....	2 50
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	2 10

John Vander Berg, posting election notices.....	2 50
Ottawa County Times, printing election ballots.....	13 50
B. B. Godfrey, 52 special reports.....	6 25
Grand Rapids Lithograph Co., lithographing 50 park bonds.....	75 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, paid for cleaning city hall.....	10 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, nails.....	18 13
T. Keppel's Sons, 1 1/4 bushels lime for jail.....	75
Kanters & Standart, four ballot boxes.....	12 00
Heber Walsh, expense of Normal school committee.....	64 50
Wm. O. Van Eyck, paid express, postage, etc.....	7 12
Board Public Works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
Austin Harrington, coal for jail.....	2 15
O. McCance, labor.....	2 35
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	5 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	31 19
James Kole, supplies, etc.....	1 75
J. A. Vander Veen supplies.....	2 86
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	44 73
R. Riksen, team work.....	61 78
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	63 12
S. Adama, street labor.....	31 86
J. Vander Ploeg, street labor.....	30 61
The Sentinel Co., printing mayor's message.....	2 75
Ons Vandel, printing mayor's message.....	2 40
Holland City News, printing mayor's message.....	2 80
W. U. Telegraph Co., rent of clock.....	3 00
Citizens Telephone Co., message.....	15
P. F. Boone, livery.....	2 00
Board Public Works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
A. H. Meyer, janitor's fee.....	2 00
James Price, surveying.....	26 25
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	13 13
Doubleday Bros. & Co., supplies.....	6 35
Michigan Telephone Co., message.....	15
Tyler Van Landegend, labor, etc.....	60
Jacob DeFeyer, posting notices board of review.....	75
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	4 00
Ottawa County Times, printing.....	18 70
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, getting ballot boxes.....	1 00
Michigan Telephone Co., message.....	20
J. D. Nies, repairing lock in city hall.....	50
B. S. E. Takken, repairs.....	1 10
J. A. Vander Veen, nails.....	41
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	10 88
James Price, surveying.....	26 25
Arthur Van Duren, services assisting Supervisor Dykema.....	58 00
Tyler Van Landegend, supplies.....	1 43
J. R. Kleyn estate, lumber.....	2 81
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	5 96
R. Riksen, team work.....	63 13
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	64 38
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	62 50
S. Adama, street labor.....	31 56
J. Vander Ploeg, street labor.....	31 56
John Slagh, street labor.....	2 50
Van Dyke & Spritsma, supplies.....	59
Miss Martha Van Landegend, map.....	17 50
G. Van Haften, special police service.....	3 00
Simon Roos, special police service.....	2 00
J. F. Van Anrooy, special police service.....	2 00
John C. Brown, special police service.....	2 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express, postage, etc.....	4 73
John Nies, battery.....	75
Board of public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
Johannes Dykema, making assessment roll, etc.....	166 18
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., 500 stakes.....	10 00
B. F. Hallett, labor, etc., roof city hall.....	8 36
Wm. Brusse, services board of review.....	16 00
Geo. E. Kollen, services board of review.....	16 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, services board of review.....	16 00
Johs. Dykema, services board of review.....	20 00
John J. Rutgers, services board of review.....	20 00
G. J. Van Duren, services board of review.....	20 00
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	4 00
J. Vanderploeg, street labor.....	37 50
S. Adama, street labor.....	37 50
E. H. Beekman, street labor.....	16 50
R. Riksen, team work.....	60 00
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	58 13
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	56 50
E. Kammeraad, team work.....	9 38
Johs. Dykema, making copy of assessment roll.....	25 00
James Price, surveying.....	12 00
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	6 38
A. C. Rines & Co., duster.....	50
John Nies, supplies.....	3 93
Kanters & Standart, supplies Globe Cafe, lunches ordered by night police.....	77
J. A. VanderVeen, supplies.....	25
Wm. Brusse, trip to Grand Haven.....	3 00
Geo. E. Kollen, trip to Grand Haven.....	4 50
G. J. Van Duren, trip to Grand Haven.....	4 50
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	2 20
Ottawa County Times, letter heads for mayor.....	2 75
Kanters & Standart, nails sidewalk of A. King.....	14
J. R. Kleyn estate, lumber sidewalk of A. King.....	2 35
P. Vandertak, labor on sidewalk of A. King.....	90
Simon Roos, special police service.....	3 00
Herbert Van Oort, special police service.....	3 00
John C. Brown, special police service.....	2 00
Joe Nuismer, special police service.....	2 00
Henry Vrieling, rebate for sprinkling crossings.....	50 00
Doubleday Bros. & Co., supplies.....	1 50
Board of public works, water for both engine houses.....	6 75
Grand Rapids Bridge Co., part payment on bridge.....	1,000 00
Board of public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
Henry Vanderploeg, paper covers.....	60
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	5 00
F. TerVree, team work.....	42 50
B. Riksen, team work.....	11 66
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	13 75
B. Riksen, team work.....	65 00
S. Adama, street labor.....	39 00
J. Vanderploeg, street labor.....	33 75
Egbert Beekman, street labor.....	39 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	16 68
James Kole, repairs, etc.....	2 50
John J. Rutgers, making assessment roll, copy, etc.....	179 20
James Price, surveying.....	12 00
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	15 25
The Emerson Electric Co., colling fan.....	27 93
Ottawa County Times, supplies city marshal.....	3 50
Doubleday Bros. & Co., supplies.....	40
Michigan Telephone Co., messages.....	40
Wm. E. Dee, sewer pipe.....	60 45
P. M. Ry. Co., freight on sewer pipe.....	39 00
W. O. Van Eyck, paid express and postage.....	4 94
Board Public Works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
Annie Kamphuis, cleaning city hall.....	2 50
Wm. O. Van Eyck, paid for kalsomining, etc., city hall.....	16 25
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	4 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, supplies.....	2 77
Gerrit Van Haften, special police service.....	1 00
John D. Kanters, directory for street commissioner.....	50
E. Takken, supplies.....	65
Grand Rapids Bridge Co., balance on bridge contract.....	263 75
B. Riksen, team work.....	20 00
R. Riksen, team work.....	62 50
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	57 50
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	64 16
Egbert Beekman, street labor.....	36 50
S. Adama, street labor.....	35 25
J. Vander Ploeg, street labor.....	35 25
M. Vander Heide, street labor.....	19 35
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	37 75
John F. Zalsman, fixing lock jail door.....	50
A. Van Zanting, special police service.....	2 00
W. Scott, special police service.....	3 00
A. Koning, special police service.....	2 60
Simon Roos, special police service.....	2 00
H. Van Oort, special police service.....	3 00
John Van Anrooy, special police service.....	3 00
Wm. Van Anrooy, special police service.....	3 00
J. A. Vander Veen, axe and handle.....	1 25
B. B. Godfrey, ticket to Ludington as per order of council.....	10 05
John Vander Sluis, 43 yards cotton.....	2 58
I. Kramer, 2 yards goods Mrs. Wm. J. Scott, repairing city flag.....	1 00
T. Keppel's Sons, cement.....	3 20
Board public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
James Price, surveying.....	32 25
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	15 75
James Price, specifications for E. 4th and W. 3rd streets.....	3 00
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	4 35
J. Wise, cotton for praping city hall.....	1 50
M. Beukema, 18 pieces drapery.....	1 40
Vandie-Ribs Co., decorating public buildings.....	8 05
J. D. Kanters, printing.....	2 25
Wm. Brusse, cloth for draping.....	4 50
Du Mez Bros, cloth for draping.....	1 50
John Vander Sluis, cloth for draping.....	8 97
P. Oosting, mason work.....	220 75
John Beuwkes, repairing lanterns.....	30
Wm. O. Van Eyck, postage.....	3 00
Henry Wolcotte, 55 1/2 yards gravel.....	41 53
John Nies, supplies.....	3 36
Tyler Van Landegend, sewer pipe.....	9 40
Van Dyke & Spritsma, supplies.....	2 84
B. Poppema, team work.....	17 50
R. Riksen, team work.....	60 00
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	59 39
R. Riksen, team work.....	60 00
F. Ter Vree, team work.....	51 50
J. Vander Ploeg, street labor.....	37 50
S. Adama, street labor.....	34 87
E. Beekman, street labor.....	35 25
M. Vander Heide, street labor.....	22 87
F. Oosting, laying crossings.....	67 50
W. Reus, labor on crossings.....	26 25
L. Baldus, labor on crossings.....	26 25
Marcus Brouwer, labor on crossings.....	26 25
J. Oosting, laying crossings.....	67 50
P. Koning, labor on crossings.....	26 25
H. Bos, labor on crossings.....	26 25
J. Hop, labor on crossings.....	26 25
H. Oosting, hauling gravel.....	79 25
I. Harris, hauling gravel, etc.....	72 25
M. Jansen, labor, etc.....	2 40
J. A. Kooyers, rebinding two tax rolls.....	2 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	29 04
E. H. Peck, taking elevations Seventh street bridge.....	2 50
Johs. Dykema, extra services.....	16 00
P. Harkema, 430,860 pounds stone.....	175 84
H. Vrieling, rebate on sprinkler.....	87 50
S. A. Martin, ink.....	59
Michigan Telephone Co., message.....	30
Western Union Telegraph Co., rent of clock and message.....	6 29
Ottawa County Times, printing.....	11 00
Board of public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
G. Blom, freight on scrap iron.....	7 92

P. M. R. R. Co., scrap iron.....	92 40
J. B. Colenbrander, services as janitor.....	5 00
R. Riksen, team work.....	65 31
J. Van Alsburg, team work.....	66 13
F. TerVree, team work.....	65 13
B. Riksen, team work.....	65 13
B. Poppema, team work.....	59 13
G. Slotman, team work.....	56 13
Egbert Beekman, street labor.....	39 75
S. Adama, street labor.....	39 75
John Nies, batteries for night police.....	1 50
Michigan Telephone Co., message.....	15
H. K. Hoeve, wood city hall.....	6 00
Ottawa County Times, printing.....	3 25
Holland City News, advertising.....	2 55
Kanters & Standart, sewer pipe.....	1 10
James Price, surveying.....	33 75
Wm. Butkau, assisting surveyor.....	7 13
Thos. Price, assisting surveyor.....	7 13
J. Oosting, laying crossings, etc.....	27 37
J. Pathuis, drayage.....	1 00
Henry Wolcotte, gravel.....	1 13
DuMez Bros., supplies.....	39
P. M. Kleyn estate, lumber.....	13 02
Tyler Van Landegend, sewer pipe.....	75 40
P. Oosting & Son, labor.....	24 35
James Kole, labor, etc.....	1 20
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.....	3 07
John P. Van Anrooy, special police service.....	2 00
Grant Scott, special police service.....	8 00
H. Van Oort, special police service.....	4 00
J. Kruisenga, supplies.....	4 35
Board of public works, light in tower clock.....	3 20
James A. Brouwer, plate and glass for city map.....	3

G. Blom, freight and cartage	2 78	Van Dyke & Spruietma, sup-	3 38
M. Bontekoe, drayage	75	Western Union Telegraph	4 45
Van Dyke & Spruietma, tools	1 95	Co., messages	1 73
H. Gunzert, labor	15 00	Tyler Van Landegend, pack-	9 32
John B. Fik, labor	7 00	ing, etc.	24 00
Wm. Van Lier, labor	10 53	H. Gunzert, labor	35 00
Gerrit Aldering, labor	3 00	John B. Fik, labor	20 10
Albert DeJongh, labor	75	Menna Bosma, labor	24 75
Menna Bosma, labor	2 25	Gerrit Aldering, labor	4 60
S. C. McClintic, man and	3 00	John Van Putten, labor	7 00
team	4 00	John Kroll, labor	5 35
John Jonkers, Sunday relief	5 88	H. DeRidder, labor	1 60
man	1 14	C. Dally, labor	125 75
Ottawa County Times, print-	20 71	Wm. Deur, labor	4 77
ing	1 01	Saginaw, Pere Marquette,	70 49
Tyler Van Landegend, pump	8 44	Chappel & Fording Coal Co.	11 38
packing	26	coal	27 72
National Meter Co., 10 5-8 in.	25 50	Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	50 33
meters	2 75	freight on coal	250 00
J. A. Dogger, 31 pounds wip-	25 56	James Koe, repairs	3 00
ing rags	5 63	James B. Clow & Sons, pipe	24 23
H. Channon Co., white	71 50	S. C. McClintic, labor	9 60
waste	38 33	Thomson Meter Co., 3 meters	33 33
Western Union Telegraph	75 00	Stoddard Oil & Compound	75 00
Co., message	55 00	Co., boiler compound	55 00
Kanters & Standart, sup-	50 00	National Meter Co., 20 met-	2 10
plies	4 00	ers	75 00
S. C. McClintic, hauling coal	3 28	P. Damstra, mowing grass	3 28
H. Garvelink, labor	3 28	around standpipe	3 28
P. Damstra, mowing lawn	2 00	Hendrick Oosting, teaming	3 28
around standpipe	71 50	coal	3 28
James B. Clow & Sons,	38 33	A. Westma, teaming coal	3 28
valves, etc.	75 00	A. W. Baker, drayage	3 28
James DeYoung, salary as	55 00	G. Blom, freight and cartage	3 28
superintendent	50 00	James DeYoung, part salary	3 28
A. E. McClain, salary as en-	4 00	superintendent	3 28
gineer	1 56	A. E. McClain, salary en-	3 28
G. Winter, salary assistant	83	gineer	3 28
Frank McFall, salary assist-	7 20	gineer	3 28
ant engineer Nineteenth	1 50	Frank McFall, salary assist-	3 28
street station	7 20	ant engineer 19th st. sta-	3 28
John Jonkers, Sunday relief	1 52	tion	3 28
man	18 10	Harry Mokma, salary fire-	3 28
J. A. Vander Veen, tools	23 54	man	3 28
M. Witvliet, supplies	5 11	John Jonkers, Sunday relief	3 28
H. Gunzert, labor	250 00	man	3 28
John B. Fik, labor	28 48	Ottawa County Times, print-	3 28
Muskegon Rag and Metal	29 75	ing rules	3 28
Co., 38 pounds lead	1 50	Hendrick Oosting, hauling	3 28
The Mechanical Rubber Co.,	24 93	coal and water pipe	3 28
valves	1 50	J. R. Kleyn estate, lumber	3 28
Alfred Huntley, repairs	28 84	National Meter Co., meters	3 28
A. W. Baker, drayage	2 80	Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 28
T. Keppel's Sons, coal	38 33	freight on coal	3 28
Hendrick Oosting, hauling	55 00	Fairmont Coal Co., coal, less	3 28
coal	50 00	freight	3 28
Dick Stoketee, labor	90 44	L. A. Stratton, livery	3 28
Chicago, Wilmington & Ver-	65	National Meter Co., meters	3 28
million Coal Co., coal, less	112 50	Standard Oil Co., cup grease	3 28
freight	162 35	P. Damstra, mowing grass	3 28
Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	39 64	around stand pipe	3 28
freight on coal	8 85	Hendrick Oosting, hauling	3 28
The Sentinel Co., notice	1 63	coal	3 28
National Meter Co., meters	1 40	Gerrit Aldering, labor	3 28
James B. Clow & Sons, pig	1 66	Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 28
lead	38 33	freight	3 28
Standard Oil Co., oils	75 00	Saginaw, P. M. Chappel &	3 28
G. Blom, freight and cartage	55 00	Fordney Coal Co., coal	3 28
Boot & Kremer, supplies	7 50	Alfred Huntley, repairs	3 28
John Nies, supplies	50 00	G. Blom, freight and cartage	3 28
Wm. O. Van Eyck, postage	14 67	H. D. Edwards & Co., packing	3 28
etc.	35	and tools	3 28
James De Young, part salary	6 00	Western Union Telegraph	3 28
superintendent	4 00	Co., message	3 28
A. E. McClain, salary en-	32 71	James De Young, part salary	3 28
gineer	1 95	superintendent	3 28
G. Winter, salary assistant	301 50	A. E. McClain, salary en-	3 28
gineer	289 27	gineer	3 28
Harry Mokma, part salary	103 94	Frank McFall, salary assist-	3 28
freeman	60 01	ant engineer Nineteenth	3 28
Frank McFall, salary assist-	125 00	street station	3 28
ant engineer Nineteenth	10 54	Harry Mokma, salary fire-	3 28
street station	68 55	man Nineteenth street sta-	3 28
G. Blom, freight and cartage	97 20	tion	3 28
John D. Kanters, rubber	19 53	Kanters & Standart, supplies	3 28
stamp	1 459 85	A. W. Baker, drayage	3 28
H. Gunzert, labor	2 00	T. Keppel's Sons, coal	3 28
Peter Damstra, mowing	312 58	Hendrick Oosting, hauling	3 28
grass around standpipe	4 56	coal	3 28
Hendrick Oosting, hauling	21 68	Wadhams Oil & Grease Co.,	3 28
coal	18 00	ammonia soap	3 28
J. A. Dogger, wiping rags	24 00	James B. Clow & Sons, water	3 28
National Meter Co., meters	19 45	pipe	3 28
Fairmont Coal Co., coal, less	18 00	Fairmont Coal Co., less	3 28
freight	3 45	freight, car service and	3 28
A. Himes, coal, less freight	3 45	unloading	3 28
Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	1 50	Wm. O. Van Eyck, postage	3 28
freight on coal	11 95	J. A. Dogger, wiping rags	3 28
National Meter Co., 10 meters	9 90	H. Channon Co., white waste	3 28
H. Oosting, hauling coal	2 00	John Kieft, wiping rags	3 28
Hunter W. Finch & Co., coal,	10 50	Hendrick Oosting, teaming	3 28
less freight	3 45	coal	3 28
Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 45	Richmond & Bachus Co., six	3 28
freight on coal	1 50	meter reading books	3 28
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., corpor-	3 45	S. A. Martin, letter files	3 28
ation	3 45	T. Van Landegend, supplies	3 28
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe & Foun-	3 45	G. Blom, freight and cartage	3 28
dry Co., pipe, etc.	3 45	James De Young, part salary	3 28
Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 45	superintendent	3 28
switching service	3 45	A. E. McClain, salary en-	3 28
Bourbon Copper & Brass	3 45	gineer	3 28
Works, six fire hydrants,	3 45	G. Winter, salary assistant	3 28
etc.	3 45	engineer	3 28
S. C. McClintic, hauling coal	3 45	Frank McFall, salary assist-	3 28
Standard Oil Co., oil and	3 45	ant engineer Nineteenth	3 28
grease	3 45	street station	3 28
H. Gunzert, labor West	3 45	John Jonkers, Sunday relief	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	man	3 28
sion	3 45	Kanters & Standart, supplies	3 28
J. B. Fik, labor West Thir-	3 45	B. S. E. Takken, labor	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	Bourbon Copper & Brass	3 28
Menna Bosma, labor West	3 45	Works, 2 fire hydrants	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	B. Kammeraad, teaming coal	3 28
sion	3 45	J. Mulder, drayage	3 28
Gerrit Aldering, labor West	3 45	B. Kammeraad, drayage	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	James M. Clow & Sons, pig	3 28
sion	3 45	lead, gate valves, etc.	3 28
H. Ritsema, labor West	3 45	Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	freight on pipe, etc.	3 28
sion	3 45	Standard Oil Co., oils	3 28
R. Looyensgoed, labor West	3 45	C. Damstra, mowing grass	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	around standpipe	3 28
sion	3 45	Fairmont Coal Co., coal less	3 28
D. Van Tel, labor West Thir-	3 45	freight	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	Pere Marquette Ry. Co.,	3 28
sion	3 45	freight on coal	3 28
John Kroll, labor West Thir-	3 45	John Van Landegend, sup.	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	Tyler Van Landegend, sup.	3 28
M. Van Dyke, labor West	3 45	G. Blom, freight and cartage	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	James DeYoung, part salary	3 28
sion	3 45	superintendent	3 28
F. Van Slooten, labor West	3 45	A. E. McClain, sal engineer	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	G. Winter, salary assistant	3 28
sion	3 45	engineer	3 28
C. Hoffman, labor West Thir-	3 45	Frank McFall, salary asst.	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	eng. 19th St. Station	3 28
A. Hoffman, labor West Thir-	3 45	John B. Fik, labor	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	VandenBerg, labor	3 28
sion	3 45	Henry Kraght, labor	3 28
John Van Putten, labor West	3 45	S. F. King, labor	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	Gerrit Aldering, labor	3 28
sion	3 45	J. Pathuis, drayage	3 28
C. Dally, labor West Thir-	3 45	Pere Marquette Ry. Co., fght	3 28
teenth street pipe extension	3 45	H. Mueller Mfg. Co., taps	3 28
H. DeRidder, labor West	3 45	National Meter Co., meters	3 28
Thirteenth street pipe exten-	3 45	James B. Clow & Sons, pipe	3 28
sion	3 45	etc.	3 28
W. Deur, labor W. 13th st.	3 45	Bourbon Copper & Brass	3 28
pipe extension	3 45	Works, fire hydrant, etc.	3 28
E. Post, labor W. 13th st.	3 45	American Car & Foundry	3 28
pipe extension	3 45	Co., water pipe, etc.	3 28
John DeBruin, labor W. 13th	3 45	John Nies, scoop	3 28
st. pipe extension	3 45	B. Kammeraad, hauling coal	3 28
H. Oosting, labor W. 13th	3 45	Steve Kalmink, labor	3 28
st. pipe extension, self and	3 45	Wm. Koral, labor	3 28
team	3 45	Chas. Koeningburg, labor	3 28
James B. Clow & Sons, calk-	3 45	Tom Prins, labor	3 28
ing irons, etc.	3 45		3 28

Water and Light Loan.

CLERK'S OFFICE.
Holland, Mich., March 20, 1902.
To the Electors of the City of Holland:

You will please take notice that at a meeting of the common council of the City of Holland, held on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1902, the following preamble and resolutions were duly adopted, viz:

Whereas, the constant increase in the population and the rapid growth of the City of Holland has made the present system of water works inadequate for the protection of property in the city against loss by fire; and

Whereas, the present electric light system cannot possibly furnish light to every part of the city where it is desired to place lamps and furnish the inhabitants with electric light; and

Whereas, there is an urgent demand by the citizens generally that the system of water works and electric light be extended and enlarged, in order to more fully comply with the wishes of those desiring to use water or electric light; therefore be it resolved:

First. That the City of Holland, through its board of public works, extend and enlarge its present system of water works at an expense not to exceed thirty thousand dollars; and enlarge, improve and extend its electric light system at an estimated cost not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars.

Second. That it is hereby determined and proposed that said amount of fifty-five thousand dollars be raised by loan, and that for the purpose of said loan the bonds of the City of Holland be issued in the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars, as follows, to-wit: Thirty bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, with interest coupons attached thereto, said bonds to be designated as "Series I Water Works bonds," and to be numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30 respectively, and to be made payable February first A. D. 1923; and twenty-five bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, with interest coupons attached thereto, said bonds to be designated as "Series C Electric Light bonds," and to be numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 respectively, and to be made payable on the first day of February, A. D. 1923; all to draw interest at a rate not to exceed four per cent. per annum, payable annually, both principal and interest to be paid at the office of the City Treasurer in the City of Holland; interest to be paid out of the interest and Sinking Fund and the principal of the first named series of bonds to be paid out of the Water Fund and the principal of the second named series of bonds to be paid out of the Light Fund; said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and in such manner as the Common Council may direct, but at a price not less than the par value thereof; and that upon the negotiation of said bonds the money received for the light bonds be placed to the credit of the Light Fund and the money received for the water works bonds be placed to the credit of the Water Fund.

And Whereas, The amount of money needed for the purposes hereinbefore set forth is greater than can be raised by the Common Council without the vote of the electors of the city upon the proposition to raise said amount; therefore be it further resolved:

First. That the proposition to raise said amount of fifty-five thousand dollars by loan and to issue the bonds of the city therefor, as hereinbefore determined and proposed for the purposes hereinbefore determined and set forth, and payable at the time and in the manner hereinbefore set forth, be submitted to the vote of the electors of the city at the next annual city election to be held on the first Monday (the 7th day) of April, A. D. 1902.

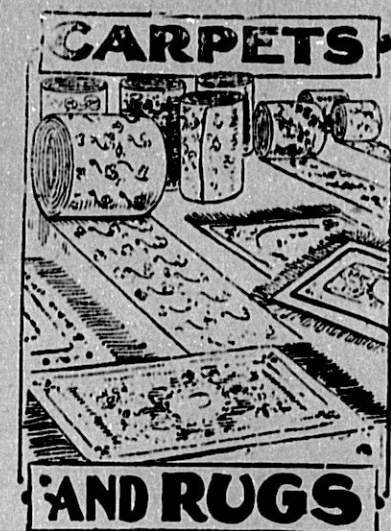
Second. That the substance of the question thus submitted be printed upon a separate ballot and be set forth substantially in form and words as follows:

"Shall the City of Holland raise by loan the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars; thirty thousand dollars thereof to be used for enlarging and extending the water works system in the City of Holland, and the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars thereof to be used for the purpose of improving, extending and enlarging the electric light system in said City of Holland; and shall bonds of the city, thirty bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, and to be termed water works bonds, Series I, and twenty-five bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each and to be termed electric light bonds Series C, be issued therefor; all bonds payable on the first day of February A. D. 1923, together with the interest at the rate not to exceed four per cent. per annum, payable annually?"

Yes[]
No[]

A true copy. Attest:
WILLIAM O. VAN EYCK,
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If you are all run down, tired out, bilious, and have a weak stomach and wish to be strong and healthy again, get a bottle of Kinyon's Blood and Kidney Remedy, a medicine that has stood the severest test in the city of Holland. Remember, if you are not benefitted, the druggist will return your money. Price, 50 cents and \$1.00. For sale by Heber Walsh and Haan Bros.

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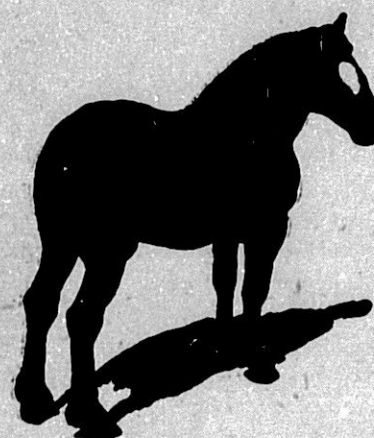
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CORRESPONDENCE.

NEW HOLLAND.

Dr. Van den Berg was to Grand Haven last week Saturday on professional business.

Mr. J. R. Brouwer is tearing down his old barn and a new structure will take its place, Mr. Leen Diepenhorst builder.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Van den Bosch last Monday, a boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Bronkhorst last week Thursday, a girl.

Mr. Otto Schaap of Dakota, was here to call on his old friend, Mr. John Meeuwson.

Miss Ethel Van den Berg mourns the loss of her pet cat Teddy.

A Prank of Noordeloos is putting up a new barn.

Wibe Dykema is at the present working for Ike Houting, our blacksmith.

John Bransa, who has been quite sick, is improving.

John Berghorst, who has been sick for some time, died last Monday morning.

Coert Smit is repapering his residence.

Mrs. Rev. Stegenga was to Zeeland last Monday to call on friends.

Would Smash the Club.

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ZUTPHEN.

Rumors are afloat that Mrs. Roelofs and Mr. Mollema will be joined in marriage soon.

Miss Effie Roelofs is very low with typhoid fever.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Primary department, for the month ending March 31, 1902. Enrollment, 29; average attendance, 22 1/2; per cent of attendance, 79. Those not absent or tardy are: Jackie Kreuze, Hermie Van Haitsma and Gracie Loeks. Those not tardy are: Johanna Veenstra, Henry Cook, Henry Veldhuis, Henry Bosh, Dora De Weerd, Reka Veldhuis, Minerva Starcken, Peter De Weerd, Winnie Kamps, Cory Veenstra, Andrew Kalman, Nelson Brouwer, Cornelius Branderhorst, Anna Branderhorst, Willie Klunder, Andrew Veenstra, Albert Starcken, Tanny Branderhorst.

Principal department, for term of 3 months, ending March 31, 1902. Total enrollment, 60; average attendance, 46.3; per cent of attendance, 80. Those not absent or tardy are: Eddie Zylstra and Willie Van Haitsma. Those not tardy are: Mary Locks, Jacob Reyerse, Orrie Tanis, Chris Van Koevering, Nicholas Van Haitsma, Annie Kreuze, Sonie Hemkes, Katie Hemkes, Sena Cook, Harm Cook, Lambert Geerlings, Gertie Geerlings, Johnnie Geerlings, Rollie De Jong, Bennie De Jong, Kate Starcken, Andrew De Weerd, Sena Veenstra, Mike Brock, Martin Ringerwale and Helena Nyenhuis.

Burdock Blood Bitters gives a man a clear head, an active brain, a strong, vigorous body—makes him fit for the battle of life.

HAMILTON.

M. E. Hoadley was in Detroit Friday and Saturday, E. L. Gillies taking his place at the depot during his absence.

The skimming station is nearly ready for operation. Albert is now looking for a cow.

A "troupe" of fellows from Overisel, Drenthe and the "father land" in general, came to Hamilton to give a musical program with a play as a side show, last week. They succeeded in getting two boys and a dog in the hall, which was remarkably well, considering.

G. L. Gillies, superintendent of schools at Malvern, Iowa, will move to Hamilton June 1.

John Kolvoord, Jr., and C. Petcham will go to Saratoga, Wyoming, in the near future.

Chas. Robinson will open a lunch counter in the Klompere block next week.

Herman Brouwer's house on the south side, is nearly completed.

Miss Pansy Palmer called on Holland friends Wednesday.

The St. Patrick's surprise at H. Elmers was a perfect success in every way. All report an excellent time.

The Harmsen transfer company is doing a rushing business these days.

The Gillies Bros. shipped a car load of wheat this week.

Wilson & Co. are having a fine trade. Mr. Wilson says Hamilton is all right.

H. A. Sears intends to start for Loveland, Colorado, in three weeks.

Croup instantly relieved. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Perfectly safe. Never fails. At any drug store.

MAY.

John Westing returned home from a visit in Fremont with relatives and also with the intention to buy a store to go into business. But he was not successful in making a deal.

Considerable business in real estate has been going on lately among our farmers. Gerrit Onk and Gerrit H. Boeve and Mrs. J. J. Van den Beldt have each bought a parcel of land of Hendrik Lubbers. The latter has bought the land owned by M. Tubbergen of Holland and rented by Mr. Verburg who has the farm rented for another year.

Peter Westing has sold his farm, which is located in Sec. 12, to Brankhorst brothers, for \$2,000, and has bought the farm of C. H. Howell, which was once owned by Teunis G. Boeve. Look out boys, there may be something else connected with this real estate deal in the very near future.

Gerrit G. De Witt has been on the sick list for a few weeks, but is now recovering.

Last Monday the congregation of Ebenezer brought out the call to Mr. Peter Braak, of the Western Theological Seminary.

Election Notices.

CLERK'S OFFICE.

Holland, Mich., March 20, 1902. To the Electors of the City of Holland:

You are hereby notified that the annual charter election for the city of Holland will be held on the first Monday (the seventh day) in April, A. D. 1902, in the several wards of said city, at the places designated by the common council, as follows:

In the First ward, in the basement of the R. Kanters building, No. 88 East Eighth Street.

In the Second ward in the Kamferbeek building, No. 147 River street.

In the Third ward, at the office of Isaac Fairbanks, No. 230 River Street.

In the Fourth ward, at the residence of Rudolph H. Haberman, No. 214 Maple Street.

In the Fifth ward, at the residence of John A. Kooyers, No. 554 State Street.

You are further notified, that at said election the following city, district and ward officers are to be elected, to-wit:

CITY OFFICERS.

A mayor in place of William Brusse, whose term of office expires.

A city marshal in place of Frederick H. Kamferbeek, whose term of office expires.

A city treasurer in place of Gerrit Wiltedink, whose term of office expires.

A justice of the peace in place of John C. Post, whose term of office expires July 4, 1902.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

A supervisor for the first supervisor district, composed of the First and Fifth wards of said city, in place of John J. Rutgers, whose term of office expires.

A supervisor in the Second supervisor district, composed of the Second, Third and Fourth wards of said city, in place of Johannes Dykema, whose term of office expires.

WARD OFFICERS.

In the First ward—An alderman in place of Peter A. Kleis, whose term of office expires; also a constable in place of Simon Roos, whose term of office expires.

In the Second ward—An alderman in place of James Kole, whose term of office expires; also a constable in place of Frederick H. Kamferbeek, whose term of office expires.

In the Third ward—An alderman in place of Henry J. Luidens, whose term of office expires; also a constable in place of Gerrit Van Haften, whose term of office expires.

In the Fourth ward—An alderman in place of Rudolph H. Haberman, whose term of office expires; also a constable in place of John F. Van Anrooy, whose term of office expires.

In the Fifth ward—An alderman in place of William Westhoek, whose term of office expires; also a constable in place of Nicholas Jonker, whose term of office expires.

You are further notified, that at a meeting of the common council of the city of Holland, held on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1902, the following preamble and resolutions were duly adopted, viz:

Whereas, the constant increase in the population and the rapid growth of the City of Holland has made the present system of water works inadequate for the protection of property in the city against loss by fire; and

Whereas, the present electric light system cannot possibly furnish light to every part of the city where it is desired to place lamps and furnish the inhabitants with electric light; and

Whereas, there is an urgent demand by the citizens generally that the system of water works and electric light be extended and enlarged, in order to more fully comply with the wishes of those desiring to use water or electric light; therefore be it resolved:

First, That the City of Holland, through its board of public works, extend and enlarge its present system of water works at an expense not to exceed thirty thousand dollars; and enlarge, improve and extend its electric light system at an estimated cost not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars.

Second, That it is hereby determined and proposed that said amount of fifty-five thousand dollars be raised by loan, and that for the purpose of said loan the bonds of the city of Holland be issued in the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars, as follows, to-wit:

Thirty bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, with interest coupons attached thereto, said bonds to be designated as "Series I Water Works bonds," and to be numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30 respectively, and to be made payable February first, A. D. 1923; and twenty-five bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, with interest coupons attached thereto, said bonds to be designated as "Series C Electric Light bonds," and to be numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, respectively, and to be made payable on the first day of February, A. D. 1923; all to draw interest at a rate not to exceed four per cent, per annum, payable annually, both principal and interest to be paid at the office of the City Treasurer in the City of Holland; interest to be paid out of the Interest and Sinking Fund and the principal of the first named series of bonds to be paid out of the Water Fund and the principal of the second named series of bonds to be paid out of the Light Fund; said bonds to be signed by the Mayor and City Clerk and to be negotiated at such times and in such manner as the Common Council may direct, but at a price not less than the par value thereof; and that upon the negotiation of said bonds the money received for the light bonds be placed to the credit of the Light Fund and the money received for the water bonds be placed to the credit of the Water Fund.

And Whereas, The amount of money needed for the purposes hereinbefore set forth is greater than can be raised by the Common Council without the vote of the electors of the city upon the proposition to raise said amount; therefore be it further resolved:

First, That the proposition to raise said amount of fifty-five thousand dollars by loan and to issue the bonds of the city therefor, as hereinbefore determined and proposed for the purposes hereinbefore determined and set forth, and payable at the time and in the manner hereinbefore set forth, be submitted to the vote of the electors of the city at the next annual city election to be held on the first Monday (the seventh day) of April, A. D. 1902.

ARE YOU ALL RUNDOWN?

Does every little noise startle you? Do you have a dull pain in back of head or at base of the skull? Are you gloomy during the day and restless at night? Is your appetite failing? Are you weak

AND NERVOUS?

Have you overworked? Have you dizzy spells? Have you ringing noise in the ears? Do your eyelids twitch? Have you dimness of vision?

ALWAYS TIRED?

Then you are on the verge of nervous prostration, and you should act promptly. The best and surest remedy for these symptoms is

KINYON'S CELERY NERVE.

Ask your neighbors. Here is what Mrs. Jennie Klaasen, 130 East Thirtieth street, Holland, Mich., says: "Two years ago I became so nervous I thought I would go crazy. Any little noise startled me. I would become hysterical at every little annoyance. I was tired out all the time, had constant headache, would become faint and dizzy and could not work. I tried a great many medicines but nothing helped me until I bought a bottle of Kinyon's Celery Nerve. I took that up and was so much better that I got another bottle and used it and it completely cured me. I never heard of a medicine for weak and nervous people that would do all that was claimed for it, but this. For sale by Heber Walsh and Haan Bros."

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Lunch Room

—AT—

CITY BAKERY.

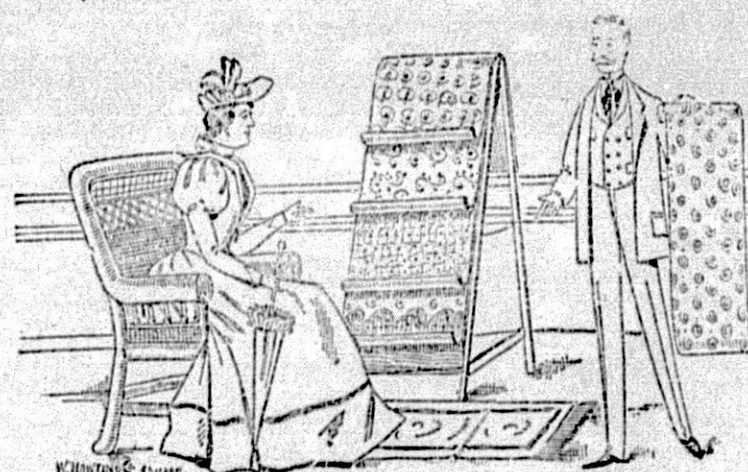
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Citizens Phone 254.

72 East Eighth St., Holland.

lars by loan and to issue the bonds of the city therefor, as hereinbefore determined and proposed for the purposes hereinbefore determined and set forth, and payable at the time and in the manner hereinbefore set forth, be submitted to the vote of the electors of the city at the next annual city election to be held on the first Monday (the seventh day) of April, A. D. 1902.

Second, That the substance of the question thus submitted be printed upon a separate ballot and be set forth substantially in form and words as follows:

"Shall the City of Holland raise by loan the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars; thirty thousand dollars thereof to be used for enlarging and extending the water works system in the City of Holland and the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars thereof to be used for the purpose of improving, extending and enlarging the electric light system in said City of Holland; and shall bonds of the city, thirty bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each, and to be termed water works bonds series I, and twenty-five bonds in the sum of one thousand dollars each and to be termed electric light bonds Series C be issued therefor; all bonds payable on the first day of February, A. D. 1923, together with the interest at the rate not to exceed four per cent, per annum, payable annually?"

Yes []

No []

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of said resolutions the aforesaid proposition of raising such sum of Fifty-five Thousand (\$55,000) Dollars by loan and of issuing the bonds of the city therefor, in the manner and for the purpose as therein set forth, will be submitted to a vote of the electors of the city at the annual city election to be held in and for said city on the first Monday (the seventh day) in April, A. D. 1902, and that at said election each elector voting on said question shall designate his vote on the ballot containing said proposition by a cross mark (x) placed in the square [] opposite the word "Yes," or in the square [] opposite the word "No," as he may elect.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand the day and year first above written.

WILLIAM O. VAN EYCK,

City Clerk.

Buy your Fountain Pens of C. A. Stevenson, the Jeweler.

How to Cure the Grip.

Remain quietly at home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as directed and a quick recovery is sure to follow. That remedy counteracts any tendency of the grip to result in pneumonia, which is really the only serious danger. Among the tens of thousands who have used it for the grip, not one case has ever been reported that did not recover. For sale by H. Walsh, Holland, Van Bree & Sons, Zeeland.

Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given, That the Board of Registration of the City of Holland will meet at the places hereinafter designated, on Saturday, April 5, 1902, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of completing the lists of qualified voters of the several wards of said city:

First Ward—In the basement of the R. Kanters building, 88 E. Eighth street.

Second Ward—At No. 147 River street.

Third Ward—At the office of Isaac Fairbanks.

Fourth Ward—At the residence of Rudolph H. Haberman, 214 Maple street.

Fifth Ward—At the residence of John A. Kooyers.

By order of the Board of Registration of the City of Holland.

Dated, Holland, Mich., March 20, 1902.

WM. O. VAN EYCK, City Clerk.

FARM FOR SALE.

First-class 80-acre farm for sale. Good house and barns, 100 apple trees, 500 peach trees, 3 to 5 years old, and all kinds of berries. Farm all improved; good water. Will sell farm with stock, crop and tools, or farm separate. Title perfect, easy payments. For description enquire at this office. 10-11

Call for F. M. C. Coffees.

Cure of Croup and La Grippe.
The greatest danger from colds and la grippe is their resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for these diseases, we have yet to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous malady. It will cure a cold or an attack of la grippe in less time than any other treatment. It is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by H. Walsh, Holland; Van Bree & Sons, Zeeland.

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WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boesche's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Heber Walsh's drug store, Holland, Mich. Get Green's Special Almanac.

CITY DIRECTORY.

HOLLAND CITY STATE BANK. Capital \$50,000. D. B. K. Van Raalte, President. A. Van Putten, Vice President. C. Ver Schure, Cashier. General Banking Business.

F. & A. M.
Regular Communications of Unity Lodge, No. 191, F. & A. M., Holland, Mich., will be held at Masonic Hall, on the evenings of Wednesday, Jan. 22, Feb. 19, Mar. 19, April 16, May 21, June 18, July 16, Aug. 13, Sept. 17, Oct. 15, Nov. 12, Dec. 10; also on St. John's Days—June 24 and Dec. 27.
Jas. L. Conkey, W. M.
Otto Breyman, Sec'y.

First State Bank

WITH SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
CAPITAL - \$50,000.00.
Cor. Eighth and Market Streets.

ISAAC CAPPON, - G. W. MOKMA,
President. Cashier.

Holland City State Bank

WITH SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
Corner Eighth and River Streets,
HOLLAND, MICH.

Established 1875. Incorporated as a State Bank in 1890.

A general banking business transacted. Interest paid on certificates. Loans made.

CAPITAL - \$50,000

D. B. K. VAN RAALTE, - President.
ADRIAN VAN PUTTEN, Vice President.
C. VER SCHURE, - Cashier.

PERE MARQUETTE

DEC. 22nd, 1917.
Trains leave Holland as follows:

For Chicago and West—
*12:50 a. m. 8:05 a. m. 12:42 p. m. 5:35 p. m.

For Grand Rapids and North—
*5:25 a. m. 8:10 a. m.
12:30 p. m. 4:22 p. m. 9:45 p. m.

For Saginaw and Detroit—
*5:25 a. m. 4:22 p. m.

For Muskegon—
*5:25 a. m.
12:45 p. m. 4:25 p. m. 9:50 p. m.

For Allegan—8:10 a. m. 5:40 p. m.
Freight leaves from East Y at 10:50 a. m.

*Daily.

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Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion. Price 50c. and 80c. Large size contains 2 1/2 times as much. Book about dyspepsia mailed free. Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

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Rocky Mountain Tea taken now will keep the whole family well. If it falls bring it back and get your cash. 35 cts. Haan Bros.

Annual Settlement.

(Continued from Page 4.)

The Shelby Electric Co., lamps 54 00
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 8 47
Central Electric Co., supplies 4 65
General Electric Co., trans-
formers and meters..... 115 35
National Carbon Co., carbons 37 63
Michigan Tel. Co., message.. 15
Michigan Toy & Novelty Works, lumber..... 2 05
Western Electric Co., lamps 45 00
Citizens Telephone Co., rent of phone 3 00
Nordberg Mfg. Co., set of piston springs..... 1 50
A. W. Baker, drayage..... 3 35
James K. labor..... 1 70
Kanters & Standart, supplies 25
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber 32
J. Van Landegend, supplies 30
J. Mulder, drayage..... 28
Tyler Van Landegend, gaso-
line..... 2 22
John Van Landegend, sup... 45 00
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 45 00
H. H. Dekker, sal. asst. en-
gineer..... 55 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 45 00
Frank McFall, sal. fireman.. 40 00
L. Kemmerling, salary dynamo
tender..... 24 67
D. Steketee, sub. dynamo
tender..... 6 00
J. D. Nies, salary city elec-
trician..... 75 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 43 00
Joseph Borgman, lamp trim-
mer..... 30 00
W. Laepple, lamp trimmer.. 1 25
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 5 75
General Electric Co., 3 trans-
formers..... 222 75
Central Electric Co., insu-
lators, tap, etc..... 20 15
Electric Appliance Co., wire
reels..... 268 82
S. C. McClintic, shovel..... 8 85
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 1 50
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 86
Van Dyke & Spritsma, tools, etc..... 2 37
Ottawa Co. Times, printing.. 45 00
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 45 00
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 45 00
Harry Mokma, sal. fireman.. 32 00
John D. Nies, salary city
electrician..... 75 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 43 00
Wm. Laepple, lamp trimmer 33 75
L. Kemmerling, salary dynamo
tender..... 40 00
Eastman & Bolhuis, deposit
returned..... 1 09
Kanters & Standart, copper
wire..... 57
Central Electric Co., globes,
paste, etc..... 13 05
Van Dyke & Spritsma, nails
The Mechanical Rubber Co.,
valves..... 9 05
Alfred Huntley, labor, etc... 48 82
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 1 24
B. & Kramer, supplies..... 39
T. Keppel's Sons, cement, etc 1 55
Boot & Kramer, storage of
lamps..... 26 00
General Electric Co., meter
armature..... 3 30
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.,
lumber..... 75
John Nies, supplies..... 2 10
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express
and postage..... 1 85
Central Electric Co., supplies 4 34
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 45 00
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 45 00
Harry Mokma, sal. fireman.. 33 33
L. Kemmerling salary dynamo
tender..... 40 33
C. Bazaan, fireman..... 5 33
J. Jonkers, Sunday relief
man..... 4 00
John D. Nies, salary city
electrician..... 75 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 23 00
Wm. Laepple, trimmer..... 31 25
Tyler Van Landegend, sup... 6 81
Central Electric Co., supplies 6 25
Electric Appliance Co., sup-
General Electric Co., meters 79 55
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 3 33
John Nies, supplies..... 3 00
Tyler Van Landegend, gaso-
line..... 14
W. G. Van Dyke, supplies.. 46
Ottawa Co. Times, printing.. 2 50
General Electric Co., 5 me-
ters..... 79 55
J. Mulder, drayage..... 9 80
The Century Glass Co., in-
ner globes..... 47 25
American Carbon Works,
3,000 carbons..... 43 00
Central Electric Co., supplies 18 75
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 4 59
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 1 78
Chas. S. Bertsch, supplies.. 5 11
H. DeRidder, labor..... 17 00
E. Post, labor..... 2 25
M. Van Dyk, labor..... 75
S. Bradford, labor..... 19 13
Joe Borgman, labor..... 30 94
J. Pathuis, drayage..... 2 65
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 9 28
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 45 00
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 45 00
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 40 00
L. Kemmerling, salary dynamo
tender..... 40 00
John D. Nies, salary city
electrician..... 75 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 33 00
Wm. Laepple, trimmer..... 33 75
Ottawa County Times, print-
ing rules..... 11 00
J. R. Kleyn Est., cedar poles 455 75
The W. R. Garton Co., sup-
General Electric Co., 6 me-
ters..... 23 00
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 94 50
Ottawa Co. Times, blanks.. 3 00
The W. R. Garton Co., wire 77 52
Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 48 38
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 38 38
Henry Gunzert, labor..... 38 50
The Merchants Oil Co., 54
gals. paint..... 22 95
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 76 38
General Electric Co., meters 130 85
Alfred Huntley, repairs..... 22 09
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 9 61
H. D. Edwards & Co., tools
Western Union Telegraph
Co., messages..... 10 00
James DeYoung, part salary

superintendent..... 45 00
C. P. Damstra, fireman..... 45 00
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 40 00
L. Kemmerling, salary dynamo
tender..... 40 00
John Jonkers, Sunday relief
man..... 5 00
John D. Nies, salary city
electrician..... 75 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 43 00
Wm. Laepple, lamp trimmer 28 25
Kanters & Standart, supplies 2 40
A. W. Baker, drayage..... 2 19
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.,
lumber..... 20 93
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 23 63
Joe Borgman, lineman..... 31 10
H. Gunzert, labor..... 1 11
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
Central Electric Co., supplies 9 20
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 268 21
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express,
etc..... 5 70
S.-A. Martin, letter files..... 45
W. J. Scott, 20 ft. bridge lad-
der..... 5 00
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 25 31
Joe Borgman, lineman..... 25 31
H. Gunzert, labor..... 19 25
Citizens Tel. Co., tel. rental.. 3 00
General Electric Co., on con-
tract for lamps, etc..... 48 65
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 202 41
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 9 00
John Nies, ffiles..... 5 20
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
General Electric Co., balance
on contract..... 45 00
General Electric Co., lamps,
meters, etc..... 55 00
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 40 00
G. Winter, salary asst. eng... 45 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 40 00
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 13 50
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 33 00
John D. Nies, salary city
electrician..... 45 00
General Electric Co., meters,
lamps, etc..... 287 20
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 644 22
Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 4 15
H. D. Edwards & Co., pulley
block less price of block
returned..... 14 30
General Electric Co., lamps,
meters..... 17 50
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 6 00
Kanters & Standart, supplies 2 03
B. S. E. Takken, labor..... 12 86
Citizens Tel. Co., tel. rental 3 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, tools, etc..... 1 29
John Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 6 72
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 2 83
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 14 22
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 20 00
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 37 50
Frank Swift, sub. fireman.. 1 50
C. Bazaan, sal. fireman..... 43 00
L. Kemmerling, salary dynamo
tender..... 40 75
John Jonkers, Sunday relief
man..... 5 00
D. Steketee, sub. fireman.. 21 75
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 33 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 40 00
A. W. Baker, drayage..... 9 00
Heber Walsh, supplies..... 5 74
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 15
Michigan Tel. Co., message
The Chicago Boiler Cleaner
Co., supplies..... 1 00
Western Union Tel. Co. mes-
sages..... 64
H. W. Hardie, repairing me-
ter..... 50
James K. labor, etc..... 7 31
John Nies, supplies..... 82
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 28 13
Joe Borgman, lineman..... 30 50
H. Gunzert, labor..... 26 70
H. Channon Co., supplies.. 9 72
General Electric Co., meters,
lamps, transformers, etc... 769 24
Electric Appliance Co., fuse
wire, etc..... 88 15
Shelby Electric Co., lamps.. 49 75
Electric Appliance Co., X
arms..... 5 00
J. A. Vander Veen, lit..... 35
M. Kiekintveld, supplies.. 1 53
H. Gunzert, labor..... 24 50
Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 28 00
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 24 75
J. R. Kleyn Est., lumber..... 7 00
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 4 00
General Electric Co., meters,
lamps, etc..... 163 01
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 232 95
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express
and postage..... 1 70
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 25
Ottawa Co. Times, printing.. 11 25
John Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 1 50
H. Gunzert, labor..... 17 50
S. Bradford, lineman..... 18 00
Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 24 88
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 2 09
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 25 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 55 00
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 45 00
L. Kemmerling, sal dynamo
tender..... 40 00
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 43 00
Kanters & Standart, sup-
plies..... 1 30
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 33 15
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg.
Co., polyphase watt meter 40 32
H. Gunzert, labor..... 21 00
Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 24 05
Steve Bradford, lineman..... 18 00
J. B. Van Oort, repairs..... 60
National Carbon Co., carbons 8 00
John Baldwin, foundation
for dynamo..... 187 25
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 95 91
Walsh-De Roo Milling Co.,
fire clay..... 50
Ottawa County Times, letter
heads..... 2 00
John DePooter, cutting trees 7 06
Western Union Tel. Co. mes-
sages..... 1 73
Shelby Electric Co., lamps.. 49 75
Boot & Kramer, storing
lamps..... 26 00
General Electric Co., trans-
former, etc..... 105 17
Tyler Van Landegend, re-
pairs, etc..... 2 62
Chas. S. Bertsch, supplies.. 6 06
A. W. Baker, drayage..... 50
Alfred Huntley, repairs..... 27 75
Western Union Tel. Co. mes-
sages..... 25
The Forstoria Incandescent
Lamp Co., globes..... 14 25
The Shelby Electric Co.,
lamps..... 48 00
National Carbon Co., carbons 68 13
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 208 91
James Routsaw, labor..... 6 20
Zopher Davidson, labor..... 3 15
Henry Budden, labor..... 25
Wm. O. Van Eyck, postage.. 2 10
T. Keppel's Sons, wood..... 62 65
General Electric Co., arc
lamps, meters, etc..... 21 00
H. Gunzert, labor.....

Joseph Borgman, lineman.. 29 25
S. Bradford, lineman..... 24 19
T. Keppel's Sons, lime and
cement..... 90
P. M. Ry. Co., freight..... 72
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg.
Co., transformers, meters,
etc..... 281 13
James DeYoung, part salary
superintendent..... 45 00
H. H. Dekker, salary asst.
engineer..... 55 00
L. Kemmerling, sal dynamo
tender..... 40 00
C. P. Damstra, sal. fireman 40 00
C. Bazaan, salary fireman.. 23 63
John Jonkers, Sunday relief
man..... 5 00
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 1 11
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 33 00
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 1 53
Kanters & Standart, sup-
plies..... 39 81
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 66 10
Electric Appliance Co., wire,
etc..... 66 10
National Carbon Co., 1,000
carbons..... 13 25
Citizens Tel. Co. tel. rental.. 3 00
H. D. Edwards & Co., chain
block..... 20 25
General Electric Co., trans-
formers and meters..... 123 75
General Electric Co., on con-
tract for lamps, etc..... 1,005 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 51
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 1 90
H. Vanden Bosch, labor dur-
ing fire Holland Furn. fac-
tory..... 43
N. E. Clark, labor during
fire Holland Furn. factory 155 27
A. Palmer, labor during fire
Holland Furn. factory..... 50
S. Dykstra, labor during fire
Holland Furn. factory..... 50
P. Stam, labor during fire
Holland Furn. factory..... 50
Paul Fileman, labor during
Holland Furn. factory fire 40 00
Wm. Tremble, nightwatch at
Holland Furn. factory..... 32 00
J. Hietje, nightwatch at
Holland Furn. factory fire 10 67
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1 43 00
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1 40 00
Ed. Boone, sal driver No. 2 35 00
L. E. Van Drezer, lunches
for firemen..... 4 05
Jury Dykstra, Sunday serv-
ice..... 129 45
Thos. Klomprens, oats, coal,
hay, etc..... 59
James K. labor, material, etc. 10 05
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1 2 55
B. Riksen, labor for fire
dept. after fire..... 4 50
Mrs. J. H. Kiekintveld, wash-
ings..... 13 12
Kanters & Standart, grate.. 21 54
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies, etc..... 2 81
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies, etc..... 1 54
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1 3 18
Ed. Boone, sal driver No. 2 45 00
Jacob Lokker, sal fireman
No. 2..... 55 00
A. C. Keppel, salary fireman
No. 2..... 19 50
John J. Rutgers, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 21 75
Albert Klooster, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 40 00
Gerrit Ter Vree, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 33 00
Gerrit Van Haften, salary
fireman No. 2..... 40 00
John Streur, salary fireman
No. 2..... 35 00
Barney Cook, salary fireman
No. 2..... 4 38
G. Cook, salary fireman
No. 2..... 16 97
G. Cook, salary fireman
No. 2..... 5 85
Cornelius Lokker, salary
fireman No. 2..... 1 37
Edward Streur, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 2 91
EXHIBIT "D".
Fire Alarm Fund. Disbursements in
detail. See item #408.83 in report of
the City Treasurer.
J. Mulder, drayage.....\$ 59
T. Keppel's Sons, wood..... 2 00
J. Mulder, drayage..... 70
J. Van Landegend, pipe, etc. 2 23
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 57
Central Electric Co., battery
supplies..... 31 81
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 20 00
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 92
Gamewell Fire Alarm Tel.
Co., transmitter, etc..... 202 00
Central Electric Co., supplies 27 97
Chas. S. Bertsch, supplies.. 4 07
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 2 98
M. Bontekoe, drayage..... 2 40
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 10 09
Alfred Huntley, repairs..... 63
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 10 00
John Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 05
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 10 60
W. R. Garton Co., zincs, etc. 22 30
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 61
Hazeline & Perkins, blue
vitriol..... 27 37
G. Blom, fght and cartage.. 1 15
Chas. S. Bertsch, supplies.. 3 39
J. P. DeFeyer, lineman..... 10 00
Electric Appliance Co., sin-
gle stroke bell..... 2 09
Albert Curtis, medicines,
etc..... 3 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, paint
L. T. Kanters, expense to
Firemen's convention..... 35 00
T. Keppel's Sons, oats, hay,
etc..... 22 99
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
Frank W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 20 00
John Te Roller, 2 hose straps
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 20 00
T. Klomprens & Co., sup-
plies..... 4 64
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., sup-
plies..... 10 50
Kanters & Standart, supplies 2 40
Con DePree, supplies..... 3 35
S. Riedema, 4 curtains..... 3 40
G. Cook & Co., supplies.. 10 07
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., sup-
plies..... 11 88
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings
for No. 1..... 2 00
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 20 00
John Te Roller, supplies..... 2 75
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, use
of horse..... 12 50
Jacob Lokker, use of horse.. 6 00
Harry Gaze, use of horse.. 10 00
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 22 50
Mrs. J. H. Kiekintveld, wash-
ings No. 1..... 20 00
Jerry Dykstra, sub. driver.. 2 97
John Hietje, salary fireman
No. 1..... 6 00
G. Van Putten, supplies... 2 80
Jacob Kloosterman, sewing
covers for fire wagons... 1 00
W. J. Scott, salary driver
No. 1..... 22 50
F. W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 20 00
John Hietje, salary fireman
No. 1 to 2-1-02..... 25 00
Jerry Dykstra, salary fire-
man No. 1 to 2-1-02..... 25 00

man No. 1..... 18 75
D. Blom, salary fireman No.
1..... 18 75
Tyler Van Landegend, salary
fireman No. 1..... 18 75
John C. Dyke, salary fire-
man No. 1..... 18 75
H. Van Oort, salary fireman
No. 1..... 18 75
James Doyle, salary fireman
No. 1..... 18 75
John Arendson, salary fire-
man No. 1..... 13 30
H. Van Oort, salary night-
man..... 15 47
Jerry Dykstra, salary night-
man..... 15 06
John Arendsen, salary night-
man..... 9 02
Abe. Smeenge, salary night-
man No. 2..... 9 37
Ed. Streur, salary nightman
No. 2..... 9 37
Albert Curtis, medicines... 3 00
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings
No. 1..... 1 50
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
John Te Roller, supplies..... 1 48
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.,
lumber..... 2 57
Vissers & Sons, supplies... 4 01
Thos. Klomprens & Co.,
supplies..... 9 28
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
T. Keppel's Sons, supplies.. 41 69
J. A. Vander Veen, supplies 4 53
Boston Baker, 4 doz cakes 50
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings
No. 1..... 1 50
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies, etc..... 1 09
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
G. Cook & Co., supplies... 10 36
Mrs. J. H. Kiekintveld, wash-
ings No. 2..... 2 80
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies, etc..... 1 75
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
Austin Harrington, coal..... 2 76
T. Klomprens & Co., sup-
plies..... 14 80
S. A. Martin, supplies..... 35
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings
No. 1..... 1 50
Jacob Lokker, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
A. C. Keppel, salary fireman
No. 2..... 25 00
John J. Rutgers, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
Albert Klooster, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
Gerrit Ter Vree, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
G. Van Haften, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
J. Streur, sal fireman No. 2
Barney Cook, salary fireman
No. 2..... 25 00
G. Cook, sal fireman No. 2
C. Lokker, salary fireman
No. 2..... 25 00
Ed. Streur, salary fireman
No. 2..... 25 00
Abel Smeenge, salary fire-
man No. 2..... 25 00
Ed. Streur, night service.. 12 50
Abel Smeenge, night service 12 50
John Kruisenga, supplies... 2 15
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
John Te Roller, supplies..... 2 05
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
Vissers & Sons, supplies... 1 50
J. Y. Huizenga & Co. sup-
plies..... 27 07
Mrs. J. H. Kiekintveld, wash-
ings No. 2..... 1 91
J. A. Vander Veen, supplies 9 86
Ed. Streur, sub. driver..... 6 50
Abel Smeenge, sub. driver.. 6 50
James K. labor, shoes, etc.. 13 95
Kanters & Standart, glass.. 36
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 58
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
No. 2..... 20 00
John Te Roller, supplies..... 2 05
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
Con DePree, supplies..... 1 15
A. Harrington, coal..... 2 25
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings
No. 1..... 1 75
G. Cook & Co., supplies... 11 68
Kanters & Standart, supplies 2 68
H. S. Bender, coal..... 1 90
T. Keppel's Sons, coal and
supplies..... 41 06
H. D. Edwards & Co., 1000
ft. fire hose..... 713 00
J. O. Doesburg, insurance on
contents on engine house
No. 1..... 11 00
W. Bourton, brick for stove 80
H. Bender, coal..... 1 90
L. Lanting, labor..... 13 75
John Nies, elbow..... 86
M. Jansen, plumbing..... 27 40
W. J. Scott, sal driver No. 1
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 22 50
F. W. Stansbury, sal driver
No. 2..... 20 00
Van Dyke & Spritsma, sup-
plies..... 19
John Van Landegend, labor,
etc..... 1 40
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 1 25
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co.,
lumber..... 2 87
Vissers & Sons, supplies... 2 06
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., sup-
plies..... 13 20
John Van Landegend, labor,
etc..... 35
H. S. Bender, coal..... 4 00
Mrs. J. H. Kiekintveld, wash-
ings No. 1..... 2 25
Albert Curtis, med., etc..... 1 25
Tyler Van Landegend, sup-
plies..... 46
Austin Harrington, coal..... 2 00
Jerry Dykstra, sub. driver.. 13 00
Kanters & Standart, sup-
plies..... 30
John Nies, polish..... 90
G. Van Putten, supplies... 2 80
Jacob Kloosterman, sewing
covers for fire wagons... 1 00
W. J. Scott, salary driver
No. 1..... 22 50
F. W. Stansbury, salary
driver No. 2..... 20 00
John Hietje, salary fireman
No. 1 to 2-1-02..... 25 00
Jerry Dykstra, salary fire-
man No. 1 to 2-1-02..... 25 00

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A. J. Koeling, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
John Jakiel, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
Wm. Trimble, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
A. W. Baker, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
D. Blom, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
Tyler Van Landegend, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
John C. Dyke, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
H. Van Oort, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
James Doyle, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
John Arendsen, salary fireman No. 1 to 2-1-02.	25 00
H. Van Oort, night man to 2-1-02.	8 68
Jerry Dykstra, night man to 2-1-02.	12 50
John Arendsen, night man to 2-1-02.	12 50
Thos. Klomprens, supplies.	19 25
W. J. Scott, salary driver No. 1.	22 50
F. W. Stansbury, salary driver No. 2.	20 00
M. Witvliet, stove grate.	2 50
Mrs. C. DeFeyer, washings No. 1.	1 75
R. Ryder, repairing tower engine house No. 1.	4 00
H. S. Bender, coal.	4 00
Hermanus Kammermann, hay.	20 99
T. Keppel's Sons, wood, coal, hay, etc.	33 22
EXHIBIT "G."	
Poor Fund. Disbursements in detail. See item of \$3,208.77 in report of the City Treasurer.	
D. DeVries, paid poor orders.	12 00
A. Roos, paid poor orders.	12 00
B. Steketee, paid poor orders.	11 25
John Kruisenga, paid poor orders.	2 00
A. Vandenberg, paid poor orders.	10 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	5 00
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
H. Wietgraaf, house rent.	4 00
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., wood city poor.	16 15
A. Harrington, wood city poor.	8 00
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
Urana Harrington, house rent.	2 50
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	2 50
John Pessink, house rent.	6 00
G. G. Smeenge, pair poor orders.	8 00
P. A. Kleis, paid poor orders.	8 00
Henry Olert, paid poor orders.	16 00
H. J. Klomprens & Co., paid poor orders.	5 00
T. Keppel's Sons, wood city poor.	1 10
A. Harrington, wood city poor.	4 00
H. D. Werkman, paid poor orders.	40 00
D. DeVries, paid poor orders.	12 00
G. Van Putten, paid poor orders.	14 00
Boot & Kramer, paid poor orders.	6 00
A. Roos, paid poor orders.	4 00
P. Prins, paid poor orders.	8 25
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., wood city poor.	34 05
John Pessink, house rent.	6 00
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	2 50
H. Wietgraaf, house rent.	6 53
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
Urana Harrington, house rent.	2 50
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
P. A. Kleis, paid poor orders.	14 00
A. Vandenberg, paid poor orders.	15 00
Du Mez Bros., paid poor orders.	11 50
P. Prins, paid poor orders.	3 75
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	10 00
J. & H. De Jongh, paid poor orders.	16 00
B. Steketee, paid poor orders.	8 75
G. G. Smeenge, paid poor orders.	12 00
R. A. Kanters, paid poor orders.	7 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	5 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, paid poor orders.	2 00
G. M. Van Tubbergen, paid poor orders.	4 00
John Kruisenga, paid poor orders.	6 00
Urana Harrington, house rent.	2 50
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
John Pessink, house rent.	3 00
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	3 00
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
P. A. Kleis, paid poor orders.	14 00
H. Olert, paid poor orders.	23 50
M. Witvliet, paid poor orders.	2 00
G. G. Smeenge, paid poor orders.	8 00
G. Van Tubbergen, paid poor orders.	2 00
Boot & Kramer, paid poor orders.	7 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	5 00
C. Van Duren, paid poor orders.	2 00
P. Prins, paid poor orders.	5 00
Ottawa County Times, printing.	4 50
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, house rent.	4 00
T. Keppel's Sons, wood.	3 75
A. Roos, paid poor orders.	6 00
J. Verhulst, paid poor orders.	48 00
D. Meengs, paid poor orders.	7 50
A. Harrington wood city poor.	2 00
Chas. W. Fairbanks, house rent.	5 00
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
Urana Harrington, house rent.	2 50
Seth Nibbelink, house rent.	4 00
John Pessink, house rent.	6 00
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	3 00
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
A. Roos, paid poor orders.	4 00
P. A. Kleis, paid poor orders.	22 00
H. D. Werkman, paid poor orders.	22 50
A. Vandenberg, paid poor orders.	

rent.	12 50
T. Keppel's Sons, wood and coal.	14 50
G. Wilterdink, paid poor orders.	13 75
J. & H. De Jongh, paid poor orders.	11 50
Boot & Kramer, paid poor orders.	2 00
A. Steketee, paid poor orders.	7 50
A. Harrington, wood.	2 50
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., wood.	4 15
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, house rent.	9 25
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	4 15
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
A. Vandenberg, paid poor orders.	6 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	26 00
H. Olert, paid poor orders.	20 50
J. & H. De Jongh, paid poor orders.	6 25
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	4 50
H. W. Vanderleij, paid poor orders.	5 00
D. Meengs, paid poor orders.	10 25
Boot & Kramer, paid poor orders.	9 00
J. W. Bosman, house rent.	5 00
Chas. W. Fairbanks, house rent.	5 00
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, house rent.	4 00
John Pessink, house rent.	6 00
P. A. Kleis, house rent.	3 00
Wm. Butkau, house rent.	3 00
J. H. Nibbelink & Son, house rent.	4 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	10 00
P. A. Kleis, paid poor orders.	18 00
R. A. Kanters, paid poor orders.	3 00
P. Prins, paid poor orders.	8 00
Du Mez Bros., paid poor orders.	18 00
A. Roos, paid poor orders.	7 50
G. Wilterdink, paid poor orders.	56 35
F. Kieft, house rent.	4 00
H. J. Klomprens, paid poor orders.	2 21
Visser & Sons, paid poor orders.	3 00
G. Wilterdink, paid poor orders.	3 00
H. D. Werkman, paid poor orders.	16 00
J. & H. De Jongh, paid poor orders.	8 00
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., paid poor orders.	20 00
Austin Harrington, wood and coal.	26 50
Thos. Klomprens & Co., paid poor orders.	5 00
D. Meengs, paid poor orders.	4 00
John Kruisenga, paid poor orders.	11 00
EXHIBIT "H."	
LIBRARY FUND.	
Disbursements in detail. See item of \$795.07 in report of the City Treasurer.	
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
T. Keppel's Sons, wood.	12 00
Board Public Works, light.	10 66
J. A. Kooyers, repairing library books.	5 35
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
Board Public Works, light.	18 82
Mrs. J. Marsilje, cleaning library rooms.	1 25
Mr. Brockway, book for library.	3 00
Funk & Wagnalls, dictionary, etc.	20 00
Naamloze Vernootschap Boekhandel, excelsior.	1 64
Eigen Haard, subscription.	3 48
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
J. A. Kooyers, repairing books.	1 75
Board Public Works, light.	7 74
T. Keppel's Sons, wood.	4 00
J. O. Doesburg, paint.	40 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express money order.	24 00
J. A. Kooyers, repairing books.	1 05
Board Public Works, light.	16 00
G. Blom, light and cartage.	80 00
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
S. Reidsema, table etc.	1 65
A. C. McClurg & Co., dictionary.	10 50
Library Bureau, supplies.	32 67
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	15 00
A. C. McClurg & Co., library books.	186 95

G. Blom, light and cartage.	25 00
Board Public Works, light.	16 00
A. C. McClurg & Co., library books.	25 65
G. Blom, light and cartage.	20 00
A. O. McClurg & Co., subscription.	3 70
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
Board Public Works, light.	21 82
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
Board Public Works, light.	6 99
S. A. Martin, supplies.	1 35
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	15 00
D. Roelofs, wood.	5 63
Elferdink & Kooyers, repairing books.	4 55
Board Public Works, light.	11 66
Austin Harrington, wood.	1 50
Ottawa Co. Times, printing.	15 00
M. Kiekintveld, supplies.	1 45
Fleming H. Revell & Co., book.	4 50
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	13 50
J. O. Doesburg, paint.	40 00
M. Kiekintveld, supplies.	2 22
Board Public Works, light.	8 83
J. C. Post, room rent.	100 00
Prakken & Kardus, repairs.	19 58
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	15 00
T. Keppel's Sons, wood.	4 20
Board Public Works, light.	7 91
Henry Vanderploeg, services asst. librarian.	12 00
Board Public Works, light.	9 16
Dood-Mead & Co., International cyclopaedia.	60 00
J. Y. Huizenga & Co., wood.	2 75
EXHIBIT "I."	
PARK FUND.	
Disbursements in detail. See item of \$52,767.84 in report of the City Treasurer.	
Wm. O. Van Eyck, exp. to Gd. Rapids, park bonds.	7 25
B. Poppema, drayage.	2 10
John Van Lente, labor.	16 87
G. W. Mokma, proceeds of park bonds.	50,000 00
D. H. Clark, 6 trees.	3 00
John Van Lente, labor.	12 49
J. A. Kooyers, labor water- ing trees.	3 00
John Van Lente, labor.	15 15
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	3 75
Anthony Steketee, labor.	1 50
H. Gunzert, labor.	4 50
Ralph Van Lente, labor.	1 00
E. Ten Haven, labor.	1 50
John Van Lente, labor.	21 41
R. Looyergood, labor.	1 50
B. Poppema, drayage.	28 00
J. A. Kooyers, making plan of Cent Park improvement.	6 00
Ralph Van Lente, labor.	2 40
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.	7 85
John Van Lente, labor.	20 75
B. Kammeraad, teamwork.	26 33
John Van Lente, labor.	19 39
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	15 06
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	19 95
Martin Drost, labor.	2 10
J. Klaassen, labor.	15 45
J. Van Lente, labor.	12 75
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	15 00
H. J. Kooyers, teaming.	40 15
B. Kemmeraad, teaming.	1 37
J. Van Apeldoorn, teaming.	30 80
A. Hidding, teaming.	40 54
Jacob Pas, teaming.	40 15
P. Mellema, teaming.	19 25
Kanters & Standart, sythe.	8 70
B. Kemmeraad, labor.	1 00
J. & H. Kragt, teaming.	46 74
P. Mellema, teaming.	47 85
A. Hidding, teaming.	34 65
Jacob Pas, teaming.	47 85
J. Van Apeldoorn, teaming.	46 20
H. J. Kooyers, teaming.	26 25
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	3 00
Vandie-Ribs Co., 6 signs.	27 75
Martin Drost, labor.	22 50
John Klaassen, labor.	24 65
John Van Lente, labor.	36 00
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	16 56
M. Kerkhof, labor and sup.	15 00
Citizens Tel. Co., message.	15 00
Kanters & Standart, nails, etc.	2 75
F. Geerlings, teaming.	20 62
P. Mellema, teaming.	23 07
A. Hidding, teaming.	8 25
Jacob Pas, teaming.	15 17
J. Van Apeldoorn, teaming.	20 17
H. J. Kooyers, teaming.	100 00
H. J. Kooyers, 667 yrd clay.	12 00
M. Drost, labor.	11 25
J. Klaassen, labor.	14 25
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	14 25
J. Van Lente, labor.	13 05
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	23 06
G. Blom, light and cartage.	10 06
Conrad Unbach, car load stone.	40 00
P. M. Ry. Co., light on stone.	33 00
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	22 00
M. Kerkhof, supplies.	26 52
W. L. Cukerski, plans, spec. etc., imp. of Centennial Park.	150 00
Board Public Works, pipe, castings, etc.	218 85
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	13 75
W. Woldering, labor.	15 00
J. Van Lente, labor.	10 00
J. Klaassen, labor.	12 50
H. J. Kooyers, teaming.	25 83
J. Van Apeldoorn, teaming.	15 83
P. Mellema, teaming.	31 62
J. Pas, teaming.	24 75
F. Geerlings, teaming.	30 25
A. Hidding, teaming.	31 22
J. Van Apeldoorn, teaming.	23 50
H. J. Kooyers, teaming.	25 50
F. Geerlings, teaming.	22 27
J. Pas, teaming.	24 49
A. Hidding, teaming.	26 50
P. Mellema, teaming.	22 27
J. Van Lente, labor.	62 00
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	12 50
J. Klaassen, labor.	12 50
W. Woldering, labor.	14 00
H. De Sligte, labor.	11 25
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	22 00
Ten Houten & VerHuis, man- son work.	9 43
James Kole, use of wagon.	6 37
John Nies, supplies.	7 33
James B. Clow & Sons, pipe, etc.	386 21
B. Kammeraad, 4 lds manure.	3 50
L. Boersma, 13 lds manure.	9 75
W. Woldering, labor.	6 25
J. Van Lente, labor.	3 43
H. De Sligte, labor.	12 50
J. Klaassen, labor.	12 18
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	28 00
A. Hidding, labor.	17 50
J. H. Kleinheksel, use of pump and gasoline engine.	10 00
M. Kerkhof, supplies.	9 76
Chas. A. Dutton, bulbs, etc.	13 02
T. Keppel's Sons, cement.	1 20
B. Poppema, 10 lds manure.	10 00
W. Woldering, labor.	2 50
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	21 00
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	1 25

J. Klaassen, labor.	6 25
J. Van Lente, labor.	6 87
A. Hidding, teaming.	18 75
John Nies, supplies.	2 91
J. Klaassen, labor.	1 88
A. Hidding, team, etc.	5 00
H. G. Vandenberg, labor.	3 43
J. Van Lente, labor.	2 50
J. A. Kooyers, labor.	14 00
F. Geerlings, teamwork.	4 37
Jacob Flieman, repairs.	2 30
Scott-Lugers Lumber Co., lumber.	28 37
EXHIBIT "J."	
DOG FUND.	
Disbursements in detail. See item of \$36.50 in report of the City Treasurer.	
B. Poppema, killing dogs.	3 75
Doubleday Bros. & Co., 200 dog tags.	8 25
B. Poppema, killing dogs.	75 00
John Nies, supplies.	75 00
J. Wiebenga, killing dogs.	75 00
Wm. O. Van Eyck, express on dog tags.	25 00
B. Poppema, killing dogs.	1 50
B. Poppema, pound rental and killing dogs.	19 75
B. Poppema, killing dogs.	75 00
SALARIES.	
Amounts due City Officials at the expiration of their terms in April and May, 1902, as follows:	
Wm. O. Van Eyck, city clerk.	100 00
F. H. Kamferbeek, city marshal.	50 00
G. Wilterdink, city treasurer.	29 13
T. Nauta, street commissioner.	83 40
P. Bos, deputy marshal.	66 70
J. C. Brown, night police.	80 00
Geo. E. Kollen, city atty.	56 25
A. Knooihuizen, city phys'n.	43 75
B. B. Godfrey, health officer.	25 00
James Westveer, director of the poor.	30 00
L. T. Kanters, chief fire dept.	37 50
D. Hensen, asst. chief fire department.	18 75
Jennie Kanters, city librar'n.	62 50
Wm. Brusse, mayor.	33 34
P. A. Shields, alderman.	16 67
P. Vandentak, alderman.	16 67
James Kole, alderman.	16 67
Gerrit Van Zanten, alderman.	16 67
H. J. Luidens, alderman.	16 67
H. Geerlings, alderman.	16 67
R. H. Haberman, alderman.	16 67
J. G. Van Putten, alderman.	16 67
W. Westhoek, alderman.	16 67
R. Riksen, alderman.	16 67
CITY INDEBTEDNESS.	
The following is the present outstanding indebtedness of the City of Holland:	
CITY BONDS.	
Water fund bonds, series A, 8 bonds of \$1,000 each, and one bond of \$700, interest 5 per cent.	\$,700 00
Water fund bonds, series B, 5 bonds of \$1,000 each, and one bond of \$1,300, interest 5 per cent.	6,300 00
Water fund bonds, series F, 17 bonds of \$1,000 each, and one bond of \$950, interest 5 per cent.	17,950 00
Electric light bonds, series A, 12 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest 5 per cent.	12,000 00
Electric light bonds, series B, 12 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest 5 per cent.	12,000 00
Water Works bonds, series G, 6 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest at 5 per cent.	6,000 00
Water works bonds, series H, 18 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest 5 per cent.	18,000 00
Fire Department bond of \$2,500, interest 5 per ct.	2,500 00
Sewer bonds, series A, 10 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest 4 per cent.	10,000 00
Park bonds, series A, 50 bonds of \$1,000 each, interest 4 per cent.	50,000 00
Total city indebtedness.	\$,143,450 00
INTEREST DUE.	
Electric Light bond, series "B," one coupon.	50 00
SPECIAL STREET DISTRICTS.	
East Eleventh street special street assessment district bond, one bond of \$272.38, interest 5 per cent.	272 38
Sixteenth street special street assessment district bond, one bond of \$194.71, interest 5 per cent.	194 71
Sixteenth street special street assessment district No. 2 bonds, two bonds of \$555.14 each, interest 4 1/2 per cent.	1,110 28
West Seventh street special street assessment district bond, one bond of \$68.86, interest 5 per cent.	68 86
West Fourteenth street special street assessment district bonds, two bonds of \$60.00 each, interest 5 per cent.	120 00
West Twelfth street special street assessment district bond, four bonds of \$114.00 each, interest 4 per cent.	456 00

Easter Foresight.



To have the best enjoyment of EASTER you must have the best service from your eyes. If you stop a moment to think, you will realize the importance of caring for your eyes in time. If you neglect them they will never grow better from that neglect. If you give them the attention they should have, you will always find they give the greatest pleasure, best service, most comfort. If you may, by a little forethought, make your present sight better, the matter is worth attending to. Now isn't it? When we offer to extend the use of your eyes we offer to make life more agreeable, more enjoyable, more useful.

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LOCALISMS.

Drink F. M. C. Coffees.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Oudemolen, Columbia avenue—a son.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Lanning, on Tuesday—twin boys.
Illegal fishing in the bay and river is again going on.
Dr. T. G. Huizinga has been appointed president of Zeeland village.
Democratic caucuses at the opera house next Tuesday evening.
Grounds for golf links are being laid out at Ottawa Beach.
The city jail has been thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glass, West Seventeenth street—a son.
The ladies of the relief corps were pleasantly entertained a few days ago by Mrs. Nick Bush.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Rosbach, East Twelfth street, on Wednesday—a son.
John Berghorst died Monday at his home near New Holland, aged 54 years. He leaves a family.
Contractor Fred Helmers will build the new residence for Henry Cronkright on Fifteenth street.
A fine cottage is being built at Waukazoo by Contractor John Hoek for J. C. Post.
E. P. Stephan was in Chicago this week buying a large stock of carpets, curtains and rugs for the furniture dealer Jas. A. Brouwer.
A. H. Meyer, the well known music dealer, will open a first-class music store at Allegan, in the building two doors east of the Allegan City Bank.
The Holland-Milwaukee boat line will start about May 15. The Pere Marquette steamers 3 and 5 will go on the route.
A special train will be run to Allegan April 4, for the district oratorical contest. If 200 tickets are sold the rate will be 50 cents.
Barbers in this city have agreed to a price of ten cents for a shave and twenty-five cents for a haircut. No more cut prices.
Albert Hoeksema of this city will speak on: "Religious Worship in the Public Schools," at the Allegan county teachers' association held at Allegan today and to-morrow.
The Socialists have nominated the following ticket: Mayor, W. Kincaid; Marshal, Bert Hall; Treasurer, L. De Loof; Justice, Charles Douglas; Alderman, Fourth ward, V. F. King.
Miss Lizzie Van den Berg and Henry Van der Ploeg will attend the county Sunday school convention at Coopersville as delegates from the First Reformed church.
The Ottawa county teachers' inspiration institute held here a few days ago was largely attended and a success in every way. Superintendent Pattengill spoke very highly of our city schools.
Manager Browning of the Ottawa Furniture Co., gave the employees time to see the "Philippines on Wheels," in the car at the depot a few days ago, the admission being paid by the company.

Buy F. M. C. Coffees.

John Van Dyke, Sr., West Tenth street, is very seriously ill.

The public schools will close to-day for a week's vacation.

Henry R. Van Eyck has been re-engaged as chief engineer by the Holland Sugar Co.

According to the Grand Haven Tribune, Register of Deeds Peter Brusse is looking for the office of mayor.

The mother of Dr. G. J. Kollen celebrated her 90th birthday anniversary at Overisel.

Harry Hiller is improving from an operation performed last Friday by Drs. Nabbs, Cook and Mersen.

A marriage license has been granted to William Kleis and Miss Hendrika Bouws, both of Fillmore township.

The thirteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Koning, West Eleventh street, is very sick with appendicitis.

G. M. Tubbergen is having his son treated at Grand Rapids for a serious disease of the eye. Dr. J. Mastenbroek accompanied them Monday to Grand Rapids.

The river and harbor bill carrying an appropriation of \$78,000 for Holland harbor and \$5,000 for dredging inside the harbor, passed the house Friday afternoon.

Bert Volkers and Jacob Lievens were arrested by Marshal Kamferbeek Saturday for fighting. Before Justice Van Duren they were let off on suspended sentence.

The Goodrich Transportation Co. will experiment with the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy with a view to installing it on all their boats and at their stopping places.

On April 8, 9 and 10 the 56th semi-annual missionary meeting and church conference of the Episcopal diocese of Western Michigan will be held at Grace church. Prominent speakers will make addresses.

West Olive will no doubt secure a branch of the Heinz pickle works. Considerable over a hundred acres has been promised. The company has in this county branch plants at Zeeland, Coopersville and Hudsonville and their large plant here. Branches will be established at other points in the county.

The most complete and largest line of carpets, linoliums and matings ever shown in the city can now be seen at Jas. A. Brouwer. Thousands of yards of different kinds of floor coverings, with a multitude of rugs, go to make it possible to have your floors covered in any color or style you wish. Read ad on 4th page.

The sum of \$3,000 has been recommended by the consistory of the Ninth street Christian Reformed church towards the building of a new church for the English denomination. Monday evening a congregational meeting will be held to act on it. Help will also be asked from the Central avenue congregation.

The winter term of Hope College closes to-day and the spring term will open April 8. The catalogue of the college is out and is being distributed. A perusal of its pages will give a great deal of information about the institution. It shows the college to be in a flourishing condition and one of the most desirable institutions of learning in the states.

A 3 day's sale of ladies' tailor made suits during next week Thursday, Friday and Saturday at John Vandersluis'. A big line to select from and prices right. Remember, only 3 days. On next Monday Mr. Vandersluis will sell 5,000 packages of flower and vegetable seeds at 1 cent per package. These seeds are guaranteed as good as money will buy.

The April meeting of the Hope church Missionary Society will occur on Wednesday afternoon, April 2, at 3 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. C. C. Wheeler, corner Columbia avenue and Tenth street. Mrs. Otte, who has recently returned from China, will be present and give an address, which will be of interest to all. A large attendance of the ladies is requested.

At a meeting of Macatawa Council, No. 1880, Royal Arcanum, the following officers were elected: Regent, Isaac Slooter; Vice Regent, W. D. Hopkins; Orator, Wm. R. Cox; Past Regent, Dr. Geo. Baker; Secretary, Clifford Harrington; Collector, Jacob Bolhuis; Treasurer, Gustave C. Kraus; Chaplain, John Bosman; Guide, H. H. Huntley; Warden, W. A. Smith; Sentry, A. E. Stewart; Trustees, Seth Nibbelink, W. D. Hopkins and Nicholas Sprietsma.

On Wednesday evening the children and grand-children of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Veneklasen gathered at their home on West Main street and helped the old folks celebrate their golden wedding. It was a very pleasant family reunion indeed; the young people extended hearty congratulations and well wishes for the future and the old gentleman sat down in his easy chair and leisurely narrated reminiscences of pioneer married life. The guests numbered thirty-eight and the aged couple were presented with a gold handled umbrella, gold headed cane, gold watch chain, chandelier and a handsome rocker. Mr. and Mrs. Veneklasen have attained the ages of 73 and 71 respectively, and both are still strong and hale.—Zeeland Record.

Buy F. M. C. Coffees.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruwer, West Fourteenth street—a daughter.

The Bay View Furniture Co. shipped some goods to Cape Town, South Africa, this week.

Rev. Schreier will preach in the German Lutheran church Sunday forenoon at 10 o'clock.

Contractor John Hoek will build a fine residence for Frank Peifer, on Twelfth street, near River street.

An excellent program of Easter music both morning and evening at the Third Reformed church next Sunday.

The district oratorical contest at Allegan on April 4th, promises to be of general interest. Are you going?

There were 1,635 children belonging in the public schools at the close of this month—91 more than last year at this time.

List of advertised letters at the Holland postoffice for the week ending March 28: John Bouwens, Sr., Frank Conklin, Tom Delancy, Milton Rockwell, Miss Eleanor M. Ross 2, J. C. Whiteford.

Do you wish to purchase a pretty and well made wrapper? If you do, go to Du Mez Bros. and look over their large assortment of calico and percale wrappers. They give the best values for the least money. Read their ad for particulars.

Holland Classis of the Reformed Church will hold its regular spring session Wednesday, April 2, at 10 a. m., in the First Reformed church. Rev. N. Boer of Jamestown, the retiring president, will deliver the classical discourse in the evening.

A Rembrandt of Forest Grove and H. A. Lanning of Drenthe were in town Tuesday delivering maple syrup. These parties have fine maple groves and always sell a first-class syrup. The run was light this spring.

Dr. F. Brouwer, a graduate veterinary surgeon, has permanently located in this city. His office and residence is on the corner of 26th and Land streets. Bell telephone, No. 457. Calls promptly attended to, night or day. Your patronage kindly solicited.

Spring opens with bright prospects to all, and it's important that perfect vision should be yours to enable you to fully enjoy the season. Every man who strains his eyes is laying up trouble for the future which will cause him suffering later on. The rays of light that give pain to the imperfect eye are corrected in their direction and are restored to their original mission of being useful and giving pleasure by the intervention of lenses. If your sight is defective call on W. R. Stevenson, the optician. Read his ad.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children. Pleasant to take; soothing in its influence. It is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung disease.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Prices Paid to Farmers.

PRODUCE.	
Butter, per lb.	30
Eggs, per doz.	13
Dried Apples, per lb.	5-6
Potatoes, per bu.	70
Beans, hand picked, per bu.	1.40
Onions, per bu.	8
Winter Apples—good	1.00
GRAIN.	
Wheat, per bu.	75
Oats, per bu. white	40
Rye	40
Buckwheat, per bu.	52
Corn, per bu.	90
Barley, per 100	30
Clover Seed, per bu. (to consumers)	5.75
Timothy seed, per bu. (to consumers)	3.50
BEEF, PORK, ETC.	
Chickens, dressed, per lb.	10
Chickens, live, per lb.	7
Spring Chickens live	7
Turkeys live	7
Tallow, per lb.	5
Lard, per lb.	10
Beef, dressed, per lb.	5 to 6
Pork, dressed, per lb.	6 1/2
Mutton, dressed, per lb.	6 1/2 to 7 1/2
Veal, per lb.	10 to 7
Lamb	8
FLOUR AND FEED.	
Price to consumers	
Hey	9 to 10
Flour, "Sunlight," patent, per barrel	4.40
Flour "Daisy," straight, per barrel	4.40
Ground Feed 1 1/2 per hundred, 22 00 per ton	
Corn Meal, unbolled, 1.20 per hundred, 22 00 per ton	
Corn Meal, bolted 3.20 per barrel	
Middlings, 1.10 per hundred 30 00 per ton	
Bran 1 1/5 per hundred, 12 00 per ton	
Linseed Meal \$1.65 per hundred.	
HIDES.	
Prices paid by the Cappon & Bertsch Leather Co.	
No. 1 cured hide	7 1/2
" 1 green hide	6 1/2
" 1 tallow	5 1/2

Removal!

We desire to announce that after April 1st we will occupy the Rosbach store on River street until our new store is completed.

We wish to thank our old and new customers for their generous patronage in the past. Our stock will remain the largest and most complete in the city. We will continue to give right shoes, right prices and right treatment, which will warrant a continuance of your patronage.

S. SPRIETSMA.

28 West Eighth St., Holland.

New Percale and Calico Wrappers.

We have received a very large line of Wrappers, made up of a good quality of Print and Percale in various colors, such as gray, black, blue, red and fancies, at **75c** and **\$1.00**.

Good Percale Wrappers at \$1.35.

All our Wrappers are nicely trimmed with finishing braids and ruffles, having a fifteen inch flounce and a 3 1/4 yard sweep.

Also have a large stock of plain Sateen Wrappers at \$1.35.

We are sure they will please you.

Special for One Week.

All our light-blue, Simpson Print, \$1.00 Wrappers, will be sold for **75c**

Send for Samples of Our New Dress Goods.

41 East Eighth Street,
HOLLAND.

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We Sell GILBERT'S CELEBRATED Dress Linings

JUST RECEIVED---A FULL LINE OF THE Ralston Health Shoes



In Coltskin Patent Leather, Valour and Vici.

EVERY PAIR \$5.00.

Try a pair and you will be convinced that it is the best shoe for the money that can be bought.

A Complete Line of Other Shoes.

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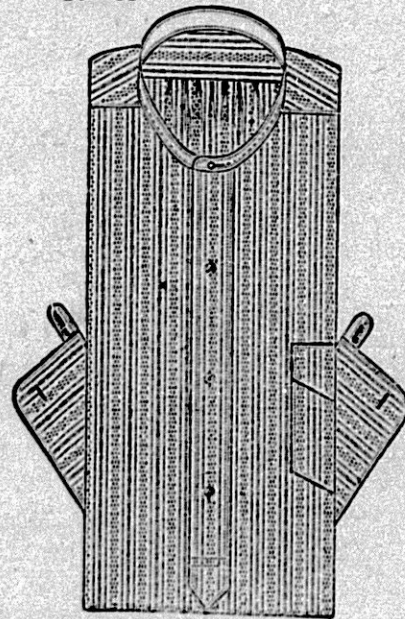
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We have on hand several new and second-hand buggies, single and double, and second-hand single and double harness. All at very reasonable prices. If you need anything in this line call in and let us figure with you.

STRATTON & KAMPS,

In connection with the horseshoeing shop, corner Central avenue and Seventh street, Holland. 10-11

House and Lot For Sale.

A good sized house, ten large rooms and some smaller, water in the house and yard, located corner of Fourteenth and Maple streets, for sale at a reasonable figure and on good terms. For particulars enquire of

WM. TEN HAGEN, 49 West Twelfth street. 11-11

HOW ABOUT THE WATCH?

**NO
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Is it keeping time to the dot?
Or do you have to do a good deal of guessing to know where you are at?
Guesswork may be all right for the idler, but a business man wants to be on time.
My specialty is watch repairing—mostly expensive, high-grade watches—and if your watch is out of order I will treat it skillfully and scientifically.

Geo. H. Huizinga UP-TO-DATE JEWELER & OPTICIAN
36 E. Eighth St., Holland.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1902.

WEARING A FORTUNE.

Marvelous Jewels that Two Women Might Deck Themselves In.

Suppose we imagine two leaders of New York society arrayed in as many of their jewels as they could wear within the farthest limits of barbaric propriety. Let us select at random Mrs. William Astor and, among the younger set, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr. Mrs. Astor we will suppose to have on some such gown as that in which her portrait was painted by Carolus Duran, although that particular gown of course now exists only on the canvas. We can also presume that she wears her \$50,000 tiara of diamonds. About her neck is fastened a velvet band, to which are attached several brilliants, valued at \$70,000. Also from her neck hang three great necklaces with a total value of \$150,000. Each of her ears bears \$5,000 in diamonds.

A magnificent stomacher encrusted with diamonds to the value of \$50,000 clothes her in gems like a breastplate from waist to low-cut bodice, in the V-shape opening of which beautiful lace appears, embroidered with rare and almost priceless pearls. Some \$10,000 in diamonds ornaments are in her hair, and her fingers could but certainly would not be covered with at least \$25,000 in rings.

Although we have thus arrayed her in \$360,000 worth of gems she has still left at home enough to ransom a missionary from Bulgarian bandits.

Let us now picture Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., formerly Virginia Fair, outrivaled by none of the younger matrons of the Vanderbilt family in the ownership of precious stones. She wears, of course, her \$50,000 diamond stomacher, a perfect network of gems, presented to her by John W. Macay, her father's partner in those Aladdin's lamp days of the Comstock lode.

Her pretty neck is burdened with a perfect Golconda. On it is a superb \$25,000 necklace of evenly matched pearls, to which is attached a splendid pendant, set with a fiery ruby and a single pear-shaped pearl. From another pendant, a huge pearl, depend still other pearl and diamond pendants. With these is a \$15,000 necklace of diamonds and softly chatoyant moonstones of India; and, struggling to be seen among this richness, is a quaint and costly brooch representing a bit of bark on which three birds of turquoise are perched.

Among \$10,000 in rings sparkling on her fingers is a marquise set with a great pear-shaped diamond. A rivière of rubies and old mine diamonds completes a costume, says a writer in *Ainslee's*, that would have brought a gasp from Cleopatra.

AUSTRALIAN MINERS' TRICKS.

Super-Yankee Cuteness Amusingly Shown on Australian Authority.

In a recent case in which a certain mine manager was sentenced to two years' imprisonment at Brisbane for obtaining money by false pretenses, amusing particulars of the method in which mining should not be conducted were given in the following letter, which was found locked in the prisoner's safe, and which was read in court: "I am pestered with visitors, all watching progress, and my presence both at drill and shafts is absolutely necessary. For instance, the shaft in which we obtained that splendid return of gold—you know it was compulsory that the ground should 'cave in'—well, that made it imperative that I should do the work myself, and after the small-sized timber had been put in over night, I made the remark that the ground was running, and was afraid it might 'cave in.'"

"It did—because I went down in the middle of the night and knocked every prop out. Then down it came, and what a beautiful mess it did look next morning."

"The men said it was not safe to work in—exactly what I wanted. I had to 'salt' the mine, and to do it carefully, but I did it, and did it well, too."

"I quite understand your anxiety, but the moves were made with diplomacy, and we were fully protected. Mind, old man, the mine is a payable one without salting, but actual returns would not have moved the market."

"Now, to-day I got the biggest stock of all. S—'s brother came. I was working on the wash and was in a deuce of a fix. But I professed to be glad to see him, and invited him to take out a dishful and wash it. He did so. Meantime I made a clay pill, put a grain of gold in it, and put it into my mouth. When he handed me the dish I promptly did a sneezing fit, and the pill accidentally fell into the dish, and you ought to have seen his face when he washed it! He behaved like a schoolboy, shook hands with me, and generally played the fool."

"I invited him to try another dish. But no. He was more than satisfied, had taken the dirt himself, and had washed it. I impressed upon him the utmost secrecy, with the result—as a matter of course—that he promptly rode to town, wired his brothers, and told every one he met, and put them all into a fever. From this you will gather that I am pulling the ropes correctly."—*London Mail*.

The Butler Earl.

In old days, when kings received personal service from their most trusted nobles, simple offices were created, such as cup-bearer, chamberlain, but-

ler, which have descended as titles of high rank. In a more complex world the service has been lost sight of, and only the outer circumstance and dignity of the office remain. For instance, the Duke of Norfolk, earl marshal of England, is hereditary chief butler of the realm.

A story of his youth, told in the New York Times, brings into curious relation the real rank of the man and his theoretic function.

When he was a young man he was reticent, and at evening receptions used to paste himself flat against the wall and say nothing. On one occasion a sprightly couple came by him, chattering and wrapped up in themselves. "I wish you'd bring an ice here," said the man to the silent black and white figure against the wall.

The upright young man obeyed. As he came back with the refreshments the lady noticed the ungloved hand that reached her the glass.

"I don't believe that man is a servant," she whispered. "Ask somebody."

Meanwhile the duke had met a friend, and with grim humor had told his experience. The man who had made the mistake was introduced to the duke, who said:

"Well, I congratulate you. You had penetration to detect the hereditary chief butler of England when he was in plain evening dress. There isn't much difference between a chief butler and a head waiter, you know."

She Won the Race.
The humors of donkey-riding in Egypt have been told by most travelers in the East. The experience of the English governess of the Khedive's daughter is told in her book, "Five Years in Egypt."

My donkey was rather an unsociable animal, and was not satisfied with winning, but carried me on far beyond even the hearing of my companions. Then at last he thought fit to slacken his pace. As he was thus walking leisurely along, I began to examine the contents of my pocket and took out my notebook to make some entries.

While I was thus occupied, the donkey boy, who had run noiselessly after me on the sand, suddenly rushed up, and with blows urged my donkey on again at full speed. I had only time to grasp the reins, and away I went, my treasures all scattered behind me and I shouting to the boy to desist.

These boys run as fast as the donkeys, and in answer to all my scolding he replied, "Yes, missus, you very good donkey; he called 'Flying Dutchman'." and then, to keep the honor of the name, another blow to urge him forward. In a few minutes I was on the bank of the river, long before my companions, and then the boy had the effrontery to ask for bakshish for having got me there first!

Forced to Enjoy It.

There is no doubt that most of us object, by instinct, to what is "for our good." H. Rider Haggard says, in his "Winter Pilgrimage," that he had, early in life, an opportunity for imbibing a knowledge for which he did not care. He continues:

"When I was 'a soaring human boy,' my father took me up the Rhine by boat, with the expectation that my mind would be improved by contemplating its lovely and historic banks. Very soon, however, I wearied of the feast, and slipped down to the cabin to enjoy 'Robinson Crusoe.'"

But some family traitor betrayed me, and protesting even with tears that I "hated views," I was dragged on deck again.

"I have paid six thalers," shouted my justly indignant parent, as he hauled me up the steamer stairs, 'for you to study the Rhine scenery! And whether you like it or not, young man, study it you shall!'"

Easily Pardoned.

Impartiality is supposed to be one of the prime requisites of a good school teacher, and indeed it is a quality which most of them possess. But even the schoolmistress is human, and as a story in the *Christian Register* shows may measure out justice with a due regard for extenuating circumstances.

A little Cambridge girl was discovered whispering in school, and the teacher asked: "What were you saying to the girl next to you when I caught you whispering?"

The little culprit hung her head for a moment, and then replied: "I was only telling her how nice you looked in your new dress."

"Well, that—yes—I know—but we must—the class in spelling will please stand up!"

Foreigners in France.

Between the years 1896 and 1901 about 10,000 foreigners took out naturalization papers in France. According to the census just completed the total number of foreigners now resident in the country is 1,037,778.

An Exception.

"The Indian bureau should make one exception."

"Well?"

"A hair cut will not improve the Flatheads."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

A Toothsome Dish.

"Yes, when we visited the Winnipeg camp they offered us baked dog."

"How do you prepare it, with the bark on or off?"—*Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Work of Compound Interest.

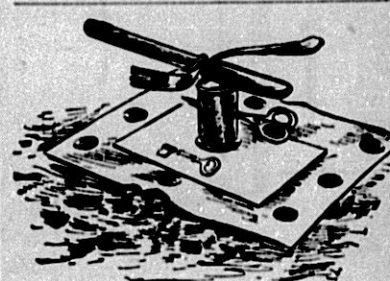
It takes about seventeen and one-half years for a dollar to double itself at 4 per cent interest compounded semi-annually.

The man who accompanies his wife to church every Sunday may not be a Christian, but he is not the meanest man in the world.



Children's Corner

New Paper Tricks.
Nothing is more interesting than the way in which our preconceived notions about the physical world are overturned by experiment. It used to be assumed that a heavy body would fall faster than a light one, until some wise soul tried it and discovered that all bodies fall at the same rate. And I fancy that if questioned some people would say that a piece of paper would not float for any length of time on water, and certainly would not bear any weight. But experiment proves the contrary. Indeed, the number of things that can be done with floating paper will not only surprise old people, but will furnish amusement for children. A sheet of ordinary writing paper, if properly adjusted, will float for an apparently indefinite period. Four half sheets which floated by way of a test



WHAT A SHEET OF PAPER WILL CARRY.

were as dry on the upper surface after having been on the water for ten days as when I first placed them on the liquid.

But what surprised me most of all was to learn the weight these floating papers can carry. One day while I was experimenting with them I rather carelessly placed a large wooden spoon on one of the half sheets, expecting, of course, to see the paper go to the bottom immediately. This did not happen, however, and my aroused curiosity prompted me to add greater weight. Recklessly I laid a table knife and fork on top of the spoon; to my astonishment the paper still remained floating; and even when I placed on more freight, in the shape of four 1-cent pieces, it obstinately refused to sink.

Desirous of learning the exact carrying capacity of a whole sheet of floating writing paper, I first placed a stiff piece of cardboard in its center and then proceeded to load it with the numerous articles shown in the illustration. That a sheet of paper should float for ten days was surprising enough, but that it should float under such a weight was nothing short of marvelous. Continuing my experiments along this line, I placed a piece of wrapping paper thirty by forty inches on the surface of the



A SHEET OF PAPER BEARING A CAT.

water. On this paper I first laid two slender sticks lengthwise; on these sticks I placed a large tin bowl, and on top of this bowl I seated my pet cat, which weighs just five and one-half pounds. The result was that here pictured.

More in a spirit of mischief than anything else, I started a bonfire on one of the floating sheets, and although the flames burned fiercely they did not even scorch the paper. Returning to the weight test again, a delicate tower of writing paper eight feet in height was made and set upon four sheets of writing paper. It floated beautifully, and I ascertained that the actual weight of this tower could have been easily supported by a single sheet, but four were necessary to keep it balanced.

Later on I spun a humming top on a half sheet of floating note paper, with the almost certain knowledge that this peg would puncture the paper as soon as it came in contact with it; but my almost certain knowledge was rudely shaken, for the top continued to go round and round until it stopped of its own accord and without accident.

Where Pearls Are Found.

Old geographies make the Persian Gulf the seat of the pearl industry, but now many beautiful pearls are found in different parts of America. In the Mississippi River and its tributaries in Minnesota and Wisconsin quite a number of people are engaged in fishing for the mussels in which the pearls are found. It is said that one pearl is found in every ten mussels fished from the water. The fisherman does not worry about this. He keeps the shells and takes them to the button-factory, where there is always a demand, for, as you know, boys and girls use up a good many buttons in the course of a year and no one ever knows what becomes of them. A floating button factory built on a boat travels up and down the Mississippi. It stops at a place long enough to use up all the shells and then goes on where there is another mussel bed or where the fishermen accumulate a heap. Some of the pearls are very valuable and have been sold for as large a price as \$50,000.

Wilhelmina's Dolls.

When Wilhelmina was little she was not allowed to share dinner with the older members of the royal household. Occasionally she came in at dessert.

One day she sat by a courtly old general; and, after eating some fruit, the little girl turned and gazed up at him. Presently she exclaimed: "I wonder you're not afraid to sit next to me."

Everybody in the room turned at the sound of her childish treble.

"On the contrary, I am but too pleased and honored to sit next to my future queen," replied the general. "But why should I be afraid?"

Assuming a woe-begone expression, the little girl replied: "Because all my dolls have the measles—they're all of them down with it."

The "Bad" Boys.

The "bad" boys are often the best boys in the neighborhood. All they want is a chance to do something. Don't expect healthy, active boys to want to be tied up in books and so-called improving occupations continually. If boys are not given good ideas to work upon, such as they always get in kindergartens, manual training and other up-to-date schools, they are sure to be in harmful mischief, because boys with vim and "get there" in them are bound to be busy. Give them tools and materials to work with; encourage them to make sleds, carts, boats and various kinds of playthings. Don't ever give a "bad" boy up; give him something to do.

"Three Cents' Worth, Please."

Little Flossie had been sent to the drug store to get some dyestuff and forgetting the name of it she asked: "What is it folks dye with?"

"Oh, various things," replied the druggist. "Heart failure, for instance."

"Well," said Flossie, "I suppose that will do. Give me 3 cents' worth, please."

An Undressed Umbrella.

Little Sarah was playing with a visitor's cane—a plain stick bent at one end.

"Sarah, what are you doing with Mr. Long's cane?" asked her father.

"This isn't a cane, papa," replied Sarah. "It's an umbrella with its dress off."

Wanted to Be a Widow.

"Are you going to marry when you grow up?" asked a visitor of 5-year-old Bessie.

"No," was the reply, "I'm going to be a widow, because they always have such pretty black clothes and look so happy."

What Barber Shops Are For.

Little Elsie—Papa, where have you been?

Papa—To the barber shop, my dear. Little Elsie—Oh, I know! You went to get the splinters pulled out of your face, didn't you, papa?

Liked the Moses Story.

Little Margie was very fond of listening to Bible stories and one day she said: "Mamma, please read that story again about Mr. Moses and the bulls rushing after him."

MACHINE ALMOST TALKS.

Automatic Screw Tool that Does Wonderful Work.

The most highly developed of machine tools is the automatic screw machine, and, like many another contrivance for saving labor, its home is New England. It is a development of the ordinary steel-working lathe, the intermediate step being the monitor lathe, in which the various cutting tools protrude from the side of a steel turret like thirteen-inch guns from a battleship turret. In the nonautomatic screw machine the turret is revolved by the operator, so as to bring each tool into play, just as the turret on the Monitor was revolved to bring one gun after another into action. But in the automatic machines the work is done without human guidance.

In making screws, nuts, bolts, studs and other small pieces that must be turned, drilled or threaded for watches, clocks, typewriters, electrical instruments and other mechanisms, all the operator has to do is to feed the "stock"—a long, thin rod of steel or brass—to the machine. The feeding mechanism carries the rod slowly forward into the field of action. The turret advances and puts its first tool at work on the end of the rod. When this tool has done its task the turret withdraws 't, turns and advances a second tool into action. Each cutting tool around the turret has its distinct work to perform—one cutting a thread, another shaping a head, another putting on a point, another drilling a hole, still another putting on knurling.

The turret automatically brings each of, perhaps, six tools into action, and, when the work is finished, the completed screw drops into a pan, while the "stock" is automatically fed forward to begin the complex operation again. A stream of machine oil pours continuously on the work to carry away the heat, and the little metal cuttings collect in a heap under the machine.

Hour after hour this wonderful automaton goes through its cycle of operations, the turret clicking every moment as it brings a new tool forward. Small brass pieces, on which only one tool cuts, are dropped at the rate of four a second. Large screws of complicated design, upon which a whole turretful of tools must work, are cut from a steel rod at the rate of one or two a minute. So perfectly are these screw machines constructed, says a writer in *Success*, that an unskilled workman can operate a row of them. All he is required to do is to keep them fed with "stock." In some shops girls tend the machines.

Not a Bite.

"What! fishing on a Sunday?" And the parson's face was firm. The urchin said: "G'wan, you jay! I'm drownin' of this worm."



RENOVATED AN OLD GARDEN.

I have a garden planted thirty-one years in succession. At one time it was in bad shape. Radishes and beets were rough and wormy. Cabbage was club-footed and scab on potato common. In fact nothing grew well.

I had no place handy for a new garden, and tried to overcome the trouble, and did. I plowed it in the fall and again in the spring. I sowed three bushels salt, and spread three barrels of slaked lime, including a little sulphur, on one acre. I then cultivated it thoroughly and planted it as usual. For five years radishes and beets have been as smooth as glass bottles, and I have seen no club-foot on cabbage and no scabby potatoes.—S. F. Scott, in *New England Homestead*.

A GOOD SALVE FOR HORSES.

A salve valuable to horsemen may be made of equal quantities by measure of pine tar, sulphur and lard. Mix the sulphur with the tar and stir it well, then add the lard and stir again. Set it on the stove and simmer for six hours, occasionally stirring it. It will cure the scratches on horses, and galls from the harness.

For scratches, thoroughly wash and clean the parts with castile or some other good kind of soap, and then rub in the salve. I have tried it and recommend it to others. I never knew it to fail. It is simple and cheap, and the formula easy to remember. It is not patented; any one can use it. It will also relieve sores, ringworm and most skin troubles on men.—*New York Tribune*.

A TEST FOR GOOD BUTTER.

The good housewife who said, "The way to taste good butter is to smell it," was surely an expert judge of butter. The fact is that a really good judge of butter seldom tastes it, but depends rather upon the sense of smell and sight. The dealer who really knows and deals in good butter can at any time when he is testing a cask or roll of butter be seen to very carefully pass it in review before his olfactory nerve, and to break it and note the appearance of the broken surface.

The true flavor of butter can be quickly tested in the entirety of a package in this manner while if the sense of taste alone were depended upon and the package was not of even quality the fact might go unnoticed. The quantity of salt in the butter can, of course, only be determined by tasting it. The surface exposed when a package or sample of butter is broken should exhibit what is known as a good grain. That means that it should have a clearly defined granular surface, similar to that found on the broken surface of cast iron of good quality. Do not fail to apply these tests when passing judgment upon the quality of butter. Their careful observance and a little practice will make you an expert.—*Michigan Farmer*.

A PROBLEM OF DAIRYING.

While awaiting the breeding and growth of the better cows we all so much wish for, it will be well to give increased attention to the securing of greater profits through a reduction in the cost of feeding. This can be reached far more promptly than can a marked gain in the powers of production of the cow. Not enough attention has been given to this factor of the problem of successful dairying. Providing fodders and feeds for the cows at less cost, thus leaving a wider margin of profit to the operator, is at the present time the problem that demands the leading attention of the dairyman. The scramble after the cow of five hundred pounds of butter a year can well be given a rest for a time for the study of the growing of choice beef, and when the fact is well drilled into us that type governs purpose and that dollars follow, type selection will be made with special reference to a lower cost feeding.

A suggestive idea was that brought forward by a leading dairyman the other day in reply to complaint over the high cost of grain feeds for his cows. "I raised all the grain needed by my cows, save a little cottonseed meal, and I guess I can stand the increased cost of that." That grain feed, grown, as it was, on his own farm, was costing that dairyman no more than in ordinary years. The one was finding it a hard problem to get his money back, while the other was realizing a reasonable profit.—*Maine Farmer*.

SEEDING WITH CLOVER.

When clover is sown early in the spring on the crop of wheat or other winter grain it may cost nothing but the price of the seed, which is not much, whether ten or fifteen pounds is used to the acre, and the labor of sowing. Yet we would prefer to increase its cost by going over the wheat with a light or smoothing harrow before seeding the clover seed. This will benefit wheat or rye if done at the right time, when the ground is not wet enough to cause the harrow to sink too deep and uproot the plants. This makes a good seed bed for the clover, and in a day or two after the first rain the little plants will be sending their roots down into the soil. Yet they will not make growth enough to injure the grain before it ripens, and when that is taken off the clover will be better looking and more valuable than the weeds that would be likely to take possession if the clover was not

there. It will grow then through the fall and into the winter, and in the spring it may be plowed under to enrich the soil, or if the catch is a good one, and it makes a good crop, it may be cut twice for hay and then add more fertility to the soil if plowed under in the fall or next spring than if the first growth was plowed under. Clover likes a mineral fertilizer, even if it is as cheap as one as sulphate of lime or land plaster, and also likes the phosphates and potash, but many supply these sufficiently in the fertilizer for the grain crop.—*American Cultivator*.

INTELLIGENT FORESTRY IS PROFITABLE.

Sylviculture, or the culture of forest trees, agriculture and horticulture cannot be separated by hard and fast lines; one blends into the other. One great difference between them is that the two latter give a yearly return, while the former takes years or even centuries to mature. Such a distinction is not entirely true, for properly managed sylviculture will give annual returns. A spruce forest will show per acre almost innumerable seedlings, yet at ten years should contain only 4000 trees, at 20 2000, at 40 1000 at 60 500, at 80 350, and at 100 250 trees. Fifteen-sixteenths should be removed in 90 years. The agriculturist sirs and cultivates his crops. It has never been demonstrated that timber trees could not be profitably cultivated.

Sylviculture properly managed will yield wood for fuel, fences, building purposes, etc. Poor land and land not fit for other purposes can be used and it can be readily combined with agriculture. It gives a protection from natural but destructive forces and adds variety and beauty to the landscape. It permits the establishment of many other industries, such as small sawmills, pulp, box and kindling wood factories, wood alcohol manufacturing, sugar maple camps, etc. Forests could be advantageously pastured except while young. A great difficulty is fires. Wide fire lanes tilled or kept bare and established or made as public roads will prove a remedy.—*American Agriculturist*.

FERTILIZERS FOR CABBAGE.

In order to get some understanding of the requirements of a crop of cabbages, we must first bear in mind that it is just the one which draws most heavily on the plant foods in the soil, especially on potash, and next on nitrogen. With plenty of humus from previous manure applications still in the soil, we may well infer that there is a fair amount of nitrogen as well as mineral plant foods already in the soil; and if the present supply of barnyard manure is insufficient for a full ration to be given now, it is reasonable to suppose that the broadcast application of lime at the rate of from forty to fifty bushels an acre, would help to give additional supplies of plant food made available by the action of the lime.

To supply directly as much potash and phosphoric acid as is removed in a good crop of cabbages would require the application of about fifty ordinary two horse loads (of a ton each), and where only a part of that quantity is available for use I think I would surely apply a good dressing of muriate of potash, or of wood ashes, if they can be had cheaply enough and in quantity. I believe that for cabbages an application of five hundred pounds of muriate of potash an acre (or at least a ton of kainit is only a moderate dressing where the soil is in moderate fall condition, and that much more may be used to advantage on land that is not abundantly supplied with potash in available form already. There is not the least danger that liberal applications of mineral manures will make loose heads of cabbage.—*T. Greiner in Practical Farmer*.

SHEEP FEEDS DISCUSSED.

Of the appetite of sheep for weeds and a variety of other plants old shepherds need not be told, for out of six hundred known plants of our country there are scarcely a score that the sheep will not eat. We once thought golden rod and Canada thistle were among the rejected plants, but later experience has demonstrated that if sheep get at them when young and tender they will eat them, and even the pestiferous morning glory is only allowed to get enough above ground for the smallest bite. But like the other domestic animals, sheep have a preference, and will manifest it when given the opportunity. Last year our sheep had access at one time to corn, rape, bromus inermis and timothy. Of these they preferred corn, even though it was cut and dried. This corn was thickly drilled in double rows, three feet six inches apart, with the grain drill; had no show of ears, and was cut when in blossom, as it was beginning to scorch from extreme drouth and heat. It was cut with a corn binder, and in a week, on account of the heat, it was well cured.

We thought the sheep would not touch this when there were plenty of other feeds yet green, but we had to keep them from the corn shocks to get them to eat the other foods, which they did in this order: Timothy rowen, rape and brome grass rowen. The brome grass was the least palatable to them, and they had to be held on it to make them eat it while any of the other plants were left. Our experience teaches that corn fodder is without a peer either as forage, fodder or fat forming grain, and this year we shall make a liberal provision for corn hay and depend upon corn to piece out the pastures from the middle of July till the rape is ready in the stubble.—*Farm, Stock and Home*.



Talmage's Sermon.

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FROM a process familiar to the farmer Dr. Talmage draws lessons of consolation and encouragement for people in sorrow and adversity. The text is Isaiah xlviii., 27, 28: "For the fitches are not thrashed with a thrashing instrument, neither is a cart wheel turned about upon the cummin, but the fitches are beaten out with a staff and the cummin with a rod. Bread corn is bruised because he will not ever be thrashing it."

Misfortunes of various kinds come upon various people, and in all times the great need of ninety-nine people out of a hundred is solace. Look, then, to this neglected allegory of my text.

There are three kinds of seed mentioned—fitches, cummin and corn. Of the last we all know. But it may be well to state that the fitches and the cummin were small seeds, like the caraway or the chickpea. When these grains or herbs were to be thrashed, they were thrown on the floor, and the workmen would come around with staff or rod or flail and beat them until the seed would be separated, but when the corn was to be thrashed that was thrown on the floor, and the men would fasten horses or oxen to a cart with iron dented wheels; that cart would be drawn around the thrashing floor, and so the work would be accomplished. Different kinds of thrashing for different products. "The fitches are not thrashed with a thrashing instrument, neither is a cart wheel turned about upon the cummin, but the fitches are beaten out with a staff and the cummin with a rod. Bread corn is bruised because he will not ever be thrashing it."

The great thought that the text presses upon our souls is that we all go through some kind of thrashing process. The fact that you may be devoting your life to honorable and noble purposes will not win you any escape. Wilberforce, the Christian emancipator, was in his day derisively called "Doctor Cantwell." Thomas Babington Macaulay, the advocate of all that was good, long before he became the most conspicuous historian of his day was caricatured in one of the quarterly reviews as "Babbington Macaulay." Norman McLeod, the great friend of the Scotch poor, was industriously maligned in all quarters, although on the day when he was carried out to his burial a workman stood and looked at the funeral procession and said, "If he had done nothing for anybody more than he has done for me, he would shine as the stars forever and ever." All the small wits of London had their fling at John Wesley, the father of Methodism. If such men could not escape the malice of the world, neither can you expect to get rid of the sharp, keen stroke of the tribulation. All who will live godly in Christ Jesus must suffer persecution. Besides that, there are the sicknesses and the bankruptcies and the irritations and the disappointments which are ever putting a cup of aloes to your lip. Those wrinkles on your face are hieroglyphics which, if deciphered, would make out a thrilling story of trouble. The footstep of the rabbit is seen the next morning on the snow, and on the white hairs of the aged are the footprints showing where swift trouble alighted.

Troubles Come Unexpectedly. Even amid the joys and hilarities of life trouble will sometimes break in. As when the people were assembled in the Charlestown theater during the Revolutionary War, and while they were witnessing a farce and the audience was in great gratulation the guns of an advancing army were heard and the audience broke up in wild panic and ran for their lives, so oftentimes while you are seated amid the joys and festivities of this world you hear the cannonade of some great disaster. All the fitches and the cummin and the corn must come down on the thrashing floor and be pounded.

My subject, in the first place, teaches us that it is no compliment to us if we escape great trial. The fitches and the cummin on one thrashing floor might look over to the corn on another thrashing floor and say: "Look at that poor, miserable, bruised corn! We have only been a little pounded, but that has been almost destroyed." Well, the corn, if it had lips, would answer and say: "Do you know the reason you have not been as much pounded as I have? It is because you are not of so much worth as I am. If you were, you would be as severely run over." Yet there are men who suppose they are the Lord's favorites simply because their barns are full and their bank account is flush and there are no funerals in the house. It may be because they are fitches and cummin, while down at the end of the lane the poor widow may be the Lord's corn. You are but little pounded because you are but little worth and she is bruised and ground because she is the best part of the harvest. The left of the thrashing machine is according to the value of the grain. If you have not been much thrashed in life, perhaps there is not much to thrash!

Help Us Bear Burdens. Next, my text teaches us that God proportions our trials to what we can bear—the staff for the fitches, the rod for the cummin, the iron wheel for the corn. Sometimes people in great trouble say, "Oh, I can't bear it!" But you did bear it. God would not have sent it upon you if he had not known that you could bear it. You trembled and you swooned, but you got through. God will not take from your eyes one tear too many nor from your lungs one sigh too deep nor from your temples one throb too sharp. The perplexities of your earthly business have not in them one tangle too intricate. You sometimes feel as if your world were full of bludgeons flying haphazard. Oh, no; they are thrashing instruments that God just suits to your case. There is not a dollar of bad debts on your ledger or a disappointment about goods that you expected to go up, but that have gone down, or a swindle of

your business partner or a trick on the part of those who are in the same kind of merchandise that you are, but God intended to overrule for your immortal help. "Oh," you say, "there is no need talking that way to me. I don't like to be cheated and outraged." Neither does the corn like the corn thrasher, but after it has been thrashed and winnowed it has a great deal better opinion of winnowing mills and corn thrashers.

"Well," you say, "if I could choose my troubles, I would be willing to be troubled." Ah, my brother, then it would not be trouble. You would choose something that would not hurt, and unless it hurt it does not get sanctified. Your trial perhaps may be childlessness. You are fond of children. You say, "Why does God send children to that other household, where they are unwelcome and are beaten and banded about when I would have taken them in the arms of my affection?" You say, "Any other trial but this." Your trial perhaps may be a disgraced countenance or a face that is easily caricatured, and you say, "I could endure anything if only I was good looking." And your trial perhaps is a violent temper, and you have to drive it like six unbroken horses amid the gunpowder explosions of a great holiday, and ever and anon it runs away with you. Your trial is the asthma. You say, "If it were rheumatism or neuralgia or erysipelas, but it is this asthma, and it is such an exhausting thing to breathe." Your trouble is a husband, sharp, snappy and cross about the house and raising a small riot because a button is off. How could you know the button is off? Your trial is a wife ever in contest with the servants, and she is a sloven. Though she was very careful about her appearance in your presence once, now she is careless, because, she says, her fortune is made! Your trial is a hard school lesson you cannot learn, and you have bitten your finger nails until they are a sight to behold.

Complaining Against God. Everybody has some vexation or annoyance or trial, and he or she thinks it is the one least adapted. "Anything but this," all say; "anything but this." My hearer, are you not ashamed to be complaining all this time against God? Who manages the affairs of this world anyway? Is it an infinite Modoc or a Sitting Bull savage or an omnipotent Nana Sahib? No; it is the most merciful and glorious and wise being in all the universe. You cannot teach omnipotence anything. You have fretted and worried almost enough. Do you not think so? Some of you are making yourselves ridiculous in the sight of the angels. Here is a naval architect, and he draws out the plan of a ship of many thousands tons. Many workmen are engaged on it for a long while. The ship is done, and some day, with the flags up and the air gorgeous with bunting, that vessel is launched for Southampton. At that time a lad six years of age comes running down the dock with a toy boat which he has made with his own jackknife, and he says: "Here, my boat is better than yours. Just look at this jibboom and these weather cross-jacks." And he drops his little boat beside the great ship, and there is a roar of laughter on the decks! Ah, my friends, that great ship is your life as God planned it—vast, million tonned, ocean destined, eternity bound! That little boat is your life as you were trying to live it out and fashion it and launch it. Do not try to be a rival of the great Jehovah. God is always right, and in nine cases out of ten you are wrong. He sends just the hardships, just the bankruptcies, just the crosses that it is best for you to have.

Again, my subject teaches that God keeps trial on us until we let go. The farmer shouts "Whoa!" to his horses as soon as the grain is dropped from the stalk. The farmer comes with his fork and tosses up the straw, and he sees that the straw has let go the grain and the grain is thoroughly thrashed. So God, smiting and turning wheel both cease as soon as we let go. We hold on to this world, with its pleasures and riches and emoluments, and our knuckles are so firmly set that it seems as if we could hold on forever. God comes along with some thrashing trouble and beats us loose. We started under the delusion that this was a great world. We learned out of our geography that it was so many thousand miles in diameter and so many miles in circumference, and we said, "Oh, my, what a world!" Trouble came in after life, and this trouble sliced off one part of the world, and in some estimations a very insignificant world, and it is depreciating all the time as a spiritual property. Ten per cent off, 50 per cent off, and there are those who would not give 10 cents for this world—the entire world—as a soul possession.

The Friendship that Endures. We thought that friendship was a grand thing. In school we used to write compositions about friendship, and perhaps we made our graduating speech on commencement day on friendship. Oh, it was a charming thing! But does it mean as much to you as it used to? You have gone on in life, and one friend has betrayed you, and another friend has misinterpreted you, and another friend has neglected you, and friendship comes now sometimes to mean to you merely another ax to grind! So with money. We thought if a man had a competency he was safe for all the future, but we have learned that a mortgage may be defeated by an unknown previous incumbrance; that signing your name on the back of a note may be your business death warrant; that a new tariff may change the current of trade; that a man may be rich to-day and poor to-morrow. And God, by all these misfortunes, is trying to loosen our grip, but we still hold on. God smites with a staff, but we hold on. And he sends over us the iron wheel of misfortune, but we hold on. There are men who keep their grip on this world until the last moment, who suggest to me the condition and conduct of the poor Indian in the boat in the Niagara rapids, coming on toward the fall. Seeing that he could not escape, a moment or two before he got to the verge of the plunge he lifted a wine bottle and drank it off

and then tossed the bottle into the air. So there are men who clutch the world, and they go down through the rapids of temptation and sin, and they hold on to the very last moment to life, drinking to their eternal doom as they go over and go down. Oh, let go! Let go! The best fortunes are in heaven. There are no absconding cashiers from that bank, no failing in promises to pay. Set your affections on things above, not on things on the earth. Let go! Depend upon it that God will keep upon you the staff or the rod or the iron wheel until you do let go.

Another thing my text teaches us is that Christian sorrow is going to have a sure terminus. My text says, "Bread corn is bruised because he will not ever be thrashing it." Blessed be God for that! Pounded away, O flail! Turned out, O wheel! Your work will soon be done. "He will not ever be thrashing it!" Now, the Christian has almost as much use in the organ for the stop tremulant as he has for the trumpet, but after awhile he will put the last dirge into the portfolio forever. So much of us as is wheat will be separated from so much as is chaff, and there will be no more need of pounding. They never cry in heaven because they have nothing to cry about. There are no tears of bereavement, for you shall have your friends all around about you. There are no tears of poverty because each one sits at the King's table and has his own chariot of salvation and free access to the wardrobe where princes get their array. No tears of sickness, for there are no pneumonias in the air and no malarial exhalations from the rolling river of life and no clutch for the lame limb and no splint for the broken arm, but the pulses throbbing with the health of the eternal God in a climate like our June before the blossoms fall or our gorgeous October before the leaves scatter.

The Cure for the Soul's Wounds. In that land the souls will talk over the different modes of thrashing. Oh, the story of the staff that struck the fitches and the rod that beat the cummin and the iron wheel that went over the corn! Daniel will describe the lions and Jonah leviathan and Paul the elm-wood whips with which he was scourged, and Eve will tell how aromatic Eden was the day she left it, and John Rogers will tell of the smart of the flame and Elijah of the fiery team that wheeled him up the sky steps and Christ of the numbness and the paroxysms and hemorrhages of the awful crucifixion. There they are before the throne of God—on one elevation all those who were struck of the rod, on the highest elevation and amid the highest altitudes of heaven all those who were under the wheel. He will not ever be thrashing it.

Is there not enough salve in this text to make a plaster large enough to heal all your wounds? When a child is hurt, the mother is very apt to say to it, "Now, it will soon feel better." And that is what God says when he embosoms all our trouble in the hush of this great promise, "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." You may leave your pocket handkerchief sopping wet with tears on your death pillow, but you will go up absolutely sorrowless. They will wear black, you will wear white; cypresses for them, palms for you. You will say: "Is it possible that I am here? Is this heaven? Am I so pure now I will never do anything wrong? Am I so well that I will never again be sick? Are these companion ships so firm that they will never again be broken? Is that Mary? Is that John? Is that my loved one I put away into darkness? Can it be that these are the faces of those who lay so wan and emaciated in the back room that awful night dying? Oh, how radiant they are! Look at them! How radiant they are! Why, how unlike this place is from what I thought when I left the world below. Ministers drew pictures of this land, but how tame compared with the reality! They told me on earth that death was sunset. No, no! It is sunrise! Glorious sunrise! I see the light now purpling the hills, and the clouds flame with the coming day."

We shall have a great many grand days in heaven, but I will tell you which will be the grandest day of all the million ages of heaven. You say, "Are you sure you can tell me?" Yes, I can. It will be the day we get there. Some say heaven is growing more glorious. I suppose it is, but I do not care much about that. Heaven now is good enough for me. Hail, hail, sons and daughters of the Lord God Almighty!

SERMONETTES

Ethical Element.—The public school training of this country is sadly deficient in the ethical element. God, the Bible and prayer have practically no place in the school system. In so far as the American people have allowed ethical teaching to be driven from the schools we deprive the youth of the one all-controlling and ennobling principle of life. Education minus the moral and religious element is not education in its truest sense.—Rev. Dr. Bartholow, Methodist, Brooklyn, N. Y.

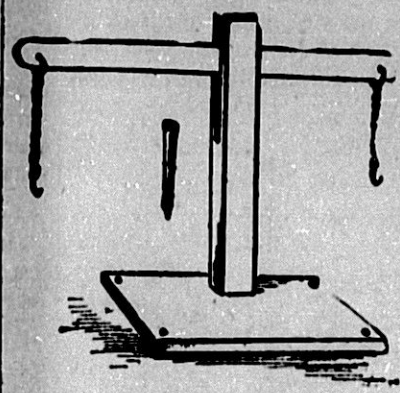
The Secularists.—The new competitors of Christianity can be called competitors only by sufferance. And of these, too, we can only say that Christianity offers more than others. Here are the secularists whose theory of life is pleasure, and who are always in danger of degenerating into happiness mongers. Life is to be lived. Other men have had their fling. I will have mine; we know not whether or not there is so much as a life to come. And here is the old school that is trying to rewrite the old positivism.—Rev. Dr. D. N. Hills, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A Commercial Standpoint.—The habit of looking at all the affairs of life from a merely commercial standpoint is bad; there is a general want of appreciation of the value of sentiment at the present time. Judas may have been unspeakably bad. Nineteen centuries of people, some of them more or less like Judas, seem rather to have enjoyed thinking so, at least he repented of his sin and forsook it. A man or a corporation that is bent merely on acquisition ceases little by little to be particular about the means of that acquisition.—Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, Presbyterian, New York City.



A Lifting Machine.

The device shown is just the thing for the farm that is operated by one man with occasional help, as many farms are run. A platform, of any dimensions desired, is built of heavy oak planks with a hole cut in the middle in which is inserted a post made of timber three or four inches square. A slot is cut in this post to extend nearly one-half its length, and is an inch and a half wide. The lever should be made of timber one and a half inches wide so as to fit snugly in the slot. This lever is bolted into position. A number of



LIFTING MACHINE.

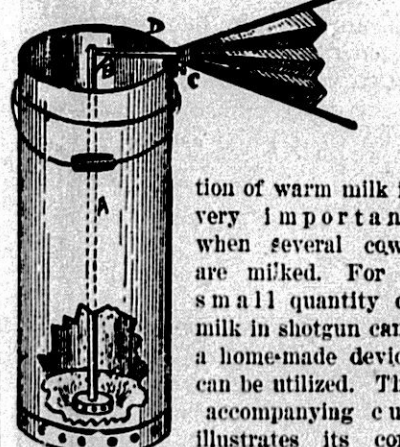
holes should be bored through this lever so that a longer arm may be had on one side of the post when wanted; as a rule the lever works best when it extends about double the distance on one side. If the object to be moved is heavy it may be best to spike the platform to the ground, which may be readily done by the use of long wooden pegs driven through holes bored in each corner of the platform. It will be noticed that two holes are bored in the post, below where the lever arm is fastened, permitting the operator to lower the arm to suit the work he has to do. This lifter will be found very handy in moving logs, grain in bags and other heavy things which must be handled on the farm.

Growing Sorghum for Stock.

The failure of the corn crop last year will induce farmers to plant more or less of other things the coming season. Alfalfa, millet, sorghum and speltz will all be tried, and in some localities one or more will be found a most desirable addition to crops for stock. The culture of sorghum is extending, and tests have proved that its culture is not confined to favored sections, but that it can probably be grown with success wherever corn can be grown. The plant is drought-resisting, it yields heavily and the stalks, if properly cured, are eaten and relished by all farm stock. The main trouble experienced with sorghum is in the curing—the crop seems to be as easily raised as corn, but it is best cured under cover by setting it in small shocks along the wall of a shed. It may be cured in the field, like corn, if put up in small shocks. Every farmer with cows or swine should give up an acre of ground this spring for sorghum. You may not be able to grow it with full success this year, but will learn its needs thoroughly, so that the next season it will be a success.

Home-Made Milk Aerator.

It pays to use some standard device for aerating and cooling the milk drawn fresh from the cows. The aera-



MILK AERATOR. Instruction and use.

Procure a good hand bellows and have a tinsmith solder on a small tin tube, with a "rose" attachment at the bottom, somewhat like that shown at A in the cut. B represents a brace soldered on to make the attachment more rigid. A clamp can be attached at C to fasten to the edge of the can, though the bellows can be easily operated without it. It may be necessary to extend the tube of the bellows at D. This arrangement will work satisfactorily in quickly aerating a can of warm milk and can be done while the can is setting in water to cool down.—Hoard's Dairyman.

Does Sheep-Raising Pay.

To this question the sheep raiser on land at a low value will undoubtedly answer yes, and the man on high price land no. It would seem as if something was wrong with this state of affairs. Year by year the raising of sheep in large numbers changes from the high price farm to the one where land is cheap. It may be true that in the East where farms are held at prices more than double that asked for land in sections of the West, farmers can not afford to raise sheep, yet why not? In any section where sheep can be raised without the winter season of feeding being too long sheep should be raised with profit regardless of the land value of the farm, within reason, of course. It is largely a question of intelligent management, just as with

any other crop. Everything seems to point to a decided change in methods during the coming years, and the thoughtful farmer with some knowledge of sheep raising is beginning to feel that by keeping up the fertility of his farm he can raise sheep as profitably for his market as his distant competitor for his.

The Ideal Farm Home.

Forty years ago this subject would have meant something quite different from what it does at present, says Indiana Farmer. Then a plain frame building, with plastered walls and a brick chimney would have seemed a great advance on the double log cabin, with its stick and mud chimney at either end, the well sweep in the yard, chickens roosting in the trees or in the front yard was not deemed out of place in early days, and shade trees, shrubbery and flower beds were exceptional, if not unknown.

The ideal farm home as we now regard it, must have many ornamental features and numerous conveniences that in pioneer days were unthought of. As to externals our first thought is regarding walks and drives. They should be dry and clean. Mud should not be tracked into the house, and to prevent this gravel should be used freely, not only to make walks to barnyards and outhouses, but to build drives from the road in front to the wagon shed in the rear. A shed or covered way ought to extend from a side porch of the house to the drive so the ladies can enter or depart from the carriage dry shod. It must have a telephone connecting with all the neighborhood and the towns and villages near. It can have a daily mail, which it easily can have if the roads are what they ought to be. It must have shade trees, vines, shrubbery and flowers in the blue-grass lawn, and a small fruit as well as a vegetable garden, well stocked with the best varieties and well tended, and it should be convenient to the kitchen, so as to be most available and useful.

Shield for the Crumper.

J. F. Granger, of Waukesha County, Wisconsin, writes Iowa Homestead: "I enclose a sketch of a good plan to keep a horse that is an habitual crumper from getting his tail over the line and giving trouble. Buckle two lengths of light leather from hip strap around the tail above the breeching, making it fit easily and loosely over the tail. From the buckle of the crupper on each side fasten a perpendicular strap on each side of the rump. Make a leather network down to the bottom piece, and one will have a device that will let the horse switch his tail and at the same time will prevent any trouble coming from getting his tail over the lines."

Wheat as Stock Feed.

The Topeka State Journal says that a miller and grain dealer in McPherson, Kan., says there is less wheat in McPherson County than for many years at the same date. The scarcity of corn and its high price have led many to feed it to stock. He claimed to know of some who had fed out 5,000 bushels, and one man, who sold 7,000 bushels last July, had since bought 8,000 bushels to feed out, and another had bought 15,000 bushels for the same purpose. He estimated the amount fed on the farms in that county at not less than 500 bushels on each farm, and the total as not less than half the crop of 1901. While we think these figures may be a little exaggerated, or more than a little if applied to more than the one county, we do not find fault if they are true. Though in the Eastern States, we used to think wheat flour bread a luxury compared to that made from cornmeal, or "rye and Indian" meal. If the farmers there can grow wheat so that it costs less than corn, let them feed it, as it has about the same nutritive value. Not many years ago the farmers of Kansas and Nebraska were reported as burning their corn because a ton of it would not buy a ton of coal, and made a better fire. Now if a bushel of ground wheat will fatten as many steers or hogs as a bushel of cornmeal, and costs less, let them use it.—American Cultivator.

Beet Pulp as Feed.

Seven thousand sheep and 150 steers are on feed on the beet pulp at the Fort Collins (Colo.) sugar refinery. The company also sells the pulp at 30 cents per ton, and the sheep eat between ten and fifteen pounds of it each day, while each steer tucks away from 100 to 150 pounds daily and often bawls for more. The feeding is largely of the experimental order as yet. The officials say that they will import some grain in order to finish the animals properly before sending them to market.

Cost of Keeping a Hen.

There is considerable difference of opinion as to how much it costs to keep a hen. The cost depends upon the hen's ability to forage. It is a saving and clear gain to convert refuse into eggs and meat. The cost of keeping a hen has been variously estimated at from 50 cents to \$1.50 a year. It costs more in the Northern States than in the Southern States. It costs more if the hens are confined than if they are allowed to run.

A Barn for the Cows.

Don't keep cows in same barn with other stock. Time is money, therefore the barn should be convenient for cleaning out, for feeding and for getting cows in and out. It should allow an abundance of sunshine.

The ten dollar note, known as the "Buffalo Bill," has on it the face of a suicide, Meriwether Lewis.



How to Economize with Eggs.

Left-over yolks of eggs if put at once into a tumbler of cold water will keep fresh and soft for several days. If dropped into a cup and covered the yolks would be unfit for use the second day. The left-over white of eggs may be made into macaroons, kisses, or used for meringues. The whites of two eggs with a quarter of a pound of sugar and the same quantity of almond paste will make two dozen macaroons. Where hard-boiled yolks are wanted it is much better to break the eggs, separate carefully the yolks from the whites and drop the yolks into water that is boiling hot; cook slowly for twenty minutes. In this way you save the whites for another purpose.—Mrs. S. T. Rorer in the Ladies' Home Journal.

Testing Soap.

It is said that nearly all of the impure soap is bought by women with whom the delicacy of the perfume and the attractiveness of the box and wrapper go a long way. Highly scented soap is far more likely to be impure than the unscented variety, for reasons which may be easily comprehended. The presence of too much lye in soap can be discovered by merely touching it with the tip of the tongue. If a biting sensation results, the soap will be injurious to the skin, if used. It is always a saving to buy soap in large quantities both for toilet and laundry use. If in bars, the soap should be cut while fresh with a string.

Creamed Sweet Potatoes.

Ingredients: One pint of milk, eight medium-sized cooked sweet potatoes, butter the size of an egg, salt and pepper to season, and flour to thicken. Make a cream sauce by heating the milk in a double boiler, thickening with flour and adding the butter and seasoning. Cut the sweet potatoes into small dice, put them in the sauce and let the whole cook for ten minutes. If liked, sprinkle chopped parsley over the top when serving. Another way of cooking sweet potatoes is to place them in the pan around a roast, and let them cook with the meat. They should be frequently basted with the dripping.

Griddle Cakes.

To each cupful of buttermilk add one tablespoonful of shortening, a little salt, a small half-teaspoonful of soda, one egg to each two cupfuls of milk, and flour, entire wheat flour (or equal parts of both), Indian meal and flour in equal proportion, to make a batter that can easily be spread on a well-greased griddle. Do not turn until the cakes are nearly done. Indian griddle cakes are luscious served with cream and sugar. Some use one cupful of milk, one cupful of flour, one egg, etc. Very good for cream toast if any cold flour or Indian cakes are left. Heat and put into cold cream.

Scalloped Oysters and Veal.

Take one cupful of cooked veal, free from bone and gristle, and chop with one cupful of raw oysters—not too fine. Grate over the meat a little nutmeg and add a little celery salt. Put a layer in an earthen dish, then a layer of crushed crackers. Moisten with oyster broth and water, milk, or gravy in which is a beaten egg. Dot with bits of butter. Then the meat and crackers, as before. Salt, if needed. Moisten with more of the liquor, dot with butter. Bake from thirty to forty-five minutes.

Farina Cups.

Make a syrup of one pint orange juice, two cups sugar, one cup water, rind of one-half an orange, juice of one lemon, and sufficient liquid to make one quart of whole. Bring to a boil, and add gradually one cup farina. Cook for ten minutes, stirring constantly. Fill cups or punch glasses previously wet with cold water. When hardened and ready to serve turn out, and garnish with whipped cream and fruit. Strawberries, cut peaches or almost any fruit may be used.

Snow Pudding.

Dissolve half a box of gelatine in one pint cold water; when soft add one pint boiling water, the juice and grated rind of two lemons, and two and one-half cups sugar. Let it stand until it is cold and begins to stiffen. Then whip in the well-beaten whites of five eggs. Pour into wet moulds and place on ice. Serve with soft sauce made of one pint milk, yolks of three eggs and half a cup of sugar. Flavor with vanilla.

Macaroni Creamed.

Break twelve sticks of macaroni into one-inch lengths and boil in one quart salted water twenty minutes. Turn into a colander and drain. Make a cream of one tablespoon each of butter and flour rubbed smooth and added to one and a half cups of hot milk. When thickened, season and return macaroni to heat. A little grated cheese may be added just before serving.

Coddled Eggs.

Have a saucepan nearly full of boiling water, drop in the eggs carefully, cover, set back where the water cannot boil, and cook six, eight or ten minutes, according to the size and freshness of the eggs. A fresh egg, full to the shell of albumen, requires more time than an older egg that has lost something by evaporation.